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(December 31 - January 6)

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 31

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Take your children on a magical journey this New Year's Eve, on the Golden Gate Park's Carrousel, Children's Playground at the southeast corner of the Park across from Kezar Stadium, fee.

9 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- The Conservatory of Flowers features an impressive collection of plants from around the world, this month's special is a magnificent array of poinsettias, Golden Gate Park, fee.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Boating on Stow Lake, pedal, electric and row boats available, in Golden Gate Park off Kennedy Drive, fee.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Calling all Robin Hoods, come visit the Archery Range in Golden Gate Park, bring your own bow, arrows and targets, bails of hay are provided, near 47th Avenue and Fulton, free.

11 a.m. - Noon -- Yoga Classes for Senior Citizens at Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street, near 37th Avenue, $3 donation requested.

4 - 5 p.m. -- Refresh yourself with Lap Swimming before your New Year's Eve party, at Coffman Pool, Visitacion and Hahn, fee.

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SUNDAY, JANUARY 1

HAPPY NEW YEAR

6:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. -- Boating and Fishing at Lake Merced, #1 Harding Road, Skyline Blvd. at the Great Highway, call 753-1101 for more information, fee.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Come wish the animals a Happy New Year at the San Francisco Zoo, Sloat Blvd. at the Pacific Ocean, fee.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Horseshoe Pitching in the Park, courts located off Conservatory Drive in Golden Gate Park, bring your own horseshoes, free.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Sail your model yachts on Spreckles Lake, both wind and motor powered models may be sailed, opposite 36th Avenue in Golden Gate Park, free.

MONDAY, JANUARY 2

8:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. -- Visit the Japanese Tea Garden, an exquisite rural style tea garden landscape, in the Band Concourse area of Golden Gate Park, fee.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 3

1 - 3:30 p.m. -- Learn to See, Draw and Paint in Your Own Way, Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street, near 37th Avenue, bring your own art supplies, Free.

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TUESDAY, JANUARY 3, continued

6:30 - 9:30 p.m. -- "Jolly Volley Follies", drop in coed volleyball at the Upper Noe Recreation Center, Day and Sanchez Streets, free

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 4

9 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Horse enthusiasts, riding lessons are available at the Golden Gate Park Stables, Kennedy Drive at 36th Avenue in Golden Gate Park, fee.

11 a.m. - Noon -- Storytelling Class for Adults, spellbind your listener, whether they are 3 or 103, Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Building, 50 Scott Street, Free.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 5

6 - 7:45 a.m. -- Early morning lap swimming at Rossi Pool, Arguello Blvd. and Anza Street, fee

7 - 8:30 p.m. -- Yoga for adults and teens, including "Mudra" and "Dhyana" techniques, Eureka Valley Recreation Center, 100 Collingwood Street, donation requested.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 6

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- The Randall Museum features a live animal room with a petting corral, a working seismograph and other exhibits, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, free.

6 - 7 p.m. -- Body Pulse Aerobics, a total aerobic exercise program, choreographed to music, Upper Noe Recreation Center, Day and Sanchez Streets, $40 for 10 classes; $5.50 for one.

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SATURDAY, JANUARY 21

6:30 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Enjoy the peace of an early morning on Lake Merced, boating and fishing, #1 Harding Road, Skyline Blvd. at the Great Highway, call 753-1101 for more information.

10 a.m. - noon -- "Backyard Basics: Garden Design for Beginners", lecture at the S.F. County Fair Building, Recreation Room, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way, $10 admission, call 661-1316 to register.

11 a.m. - Noon -- Yoga Classes for Senior Citizens at Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street, near 37th Avenue, $3 donation requested.

1, 2, 3 and 4 p.m. -- Star Gazing at the Morrison Planetarium, located in the Academy of Sciences, Band Concourse Course Area of Golden Gate Park, Eastern end of Kennedy Drive, fee.

2:30 - 3:30 p.m. -- Tap is a Snap, tap dancing for 7-12 year olds at West Sunset Playground, 39th Avenue and Ortega Street, free.

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SUNDAY, JANUARY 22

8:30 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Enjoy your tea in a beautiful rural style Japanese Tea Garden, Band Concourse Area of Golden Gate Park, fee.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Take a Cruise Around Stow Lake, peddle, electric and row boats available in Golden Gate Park off Kennedy Drive, fee.

11 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Old Fashioned Buggy Ride in Golden Gate Park, tours leave from Japanese Tea Garden in Band Concourse Area, call 761-8272 for more information, fee.

2 - 4 p.m. -- Ray Bell and his Band play ballroom dance music at the Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street, near 37th Avenue, $2 donation.

MONDAY, JANUARY 23

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Have a wild time visiting the animals at the San Francisco Zoo, Sloat Blvd. at the Pacific Ocean, fee.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Throw your favorite Shoe at Golden Gate Park's Horseshoe Pitching Court, located off Conservatory Drive in Golden Gate Park, free.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 24

1 - 3:30 p.m. -- Learn to See, Draw and Paint in Your Own Way, Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street, near 37th Avenue, bring your own art supplies, Free.

6:30 - 9:30 p.m. -- Drop in Coed Volleyball at the Upper Noe Recreation Center, Day and Sanchez Streets, free.

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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 25

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Randall Museum features a working seismograph where you can watch the earth move! Also live animals in a petting corral and other exhibits, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way. on Corona Heights, free.

11 a.m. - Noon -- Storytelling Class for Adults, spellbind your listener, whether they are 3 or 103, Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Building, 50 Scott Street, Free.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 26

9:30 a.m. - Noon -- Adult tennis classes at Glen Park Recreation Center, Bosworth and O'Shaughnessy Blvd., donation - 1 unopened can of 3 tennis balls.

7 - 8:30 p.m. -- Yoga for adults and teens, including "Mudra" and "Dhyana" techniques, Eureka Valley Recreation Center, 100 Collingwood Street near 18th Street, donation requested.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 27

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- All you Robin Hoods, bring your merry band of friends to the Archery Range at the western end of Golden Gate Park, near 47th and Fulton Streets, bring your own arrows, bows and targets, bales of hay are provided, free.

3 - 4:30 p.m. -- Recreational Swimming at Balboa Pool, San Jose Avenue and Havelock, fee.

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SATURDAY, JANUARY 28

7 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Golden Gate Golf Course has nine holes, all par 3, located near 47th Avenue and Fulton Street in Golden Gate Park, for information, call 751-8987, fee.

10 a.m. - Noon -- "How to Plan Your Garden for a June Wedding", lecture at the San Francisco County Fair Building, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way, $30, call 661-0668 to register.

10 a.m. - Noon -- "Understanding Microclimates", lecture at the San Francisco County Fair Building, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way, $10, call 661-0668 to register.

11 a.m. - Noon -- Yoga Classes for Senior Citizens at Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street, near 37th Avenue, $3 donation requested.

1, 2, 3 and 4 p.m. -- Star Gazing at the Morrison Planetarium, located in the Academy of Sciences, Band Concourse Course Area of Golden Gate Park, Eastern end of Kennedy Drive, fee.

2:30 - 3:30 p.m. -- Tap is a Snap, tap dancing for 7-12 year olds at West Sunset Playground, 39th Avenue and Ortega Street, free.

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SUNDAY, JANUARY 29

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Going fishing? Practice your skills at fly casting at the Fly Casting Pools behind Anglers' Lodge, between Middle and Kennedy Drives, west of the Polo Fields in Golden Gate Park, free.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Get a great winter workout bicycling in the Park! Sundays, JFK Drive is closed to autos from Kezar Drive to Transverse Drive, free.

11 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Old Fashioned Buggy Ride in Golden Gate Park, tours leave from Japanese Tea Garden in Band Concourse Area, call 761-8272 for more information, fee.

2 - 4 p.m. -- Ray Bell and his Band play ballroom dance music at the Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street, near 37th Avenue, $2 donation.

MONDAY, JANUARY 30

8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. -- Visit Strybing Arboretum and Botanical Gardens, featuring a plant collection from around the world, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park, free.

3 - 6 p.m. (Monday thru Friday) -- Boys Baseball signups for 9-14 year olds at Junipero Serra Playground, 300 Stonecrest.

3:30 - 5 p.m. -- Tap and Ballet class, for ages 7-12 years, Midtown Terrace Playground, Clarendon Drive and Olympia Way, free

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TUESDAY, JANUARY 31

1 - 3:30 p.m. -- Learn to See, Draw and Paint in Your Own Way, Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street, near 37th Avenue, bring your own art supplies, Free.

3 - 5 p.m. -- Trampoline Class for Youth at St. Mary's Recreation Center, Murray Street and Justin Drive, parents release slip required, free.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 1

11 a.m. - Noon -- Storytelling Class for Adults, spellbind your listener, whether they are 3 or 103, Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Building, 50 Scott Street, Free.

7:45 p.m. -- Round Dancing Classes at St. Mary's Recreation Center, Murray Street and Justin Drive, free.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 2

1:30 - 4:30 p.m. -- Recreational Swimming at North Beach Pool, Lombard and Mason Streets, fee.

7 - 8:30 p.m. -- Yoga for adults and teens, including "Mudra" and "Dhyana" techniques, Eureka Valley Recreation Center, 100 Collingwood Street near 18th Street, donation requested.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 3

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Celebrate TGIF with your favorite animals at the San Francisco Zoo, Sloat Blvd. at the Pacific Ocean, fee.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Randall Museum features a working seismograph where you can watch the earth move! Also live animals in a petting corral and other exhibits, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way. on Corona Heights, free.

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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 4

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Take a magical journey on Golden Gate Park's Carrousel, Childrens' Playground at the Southeast corner of the Park, across from Kezar Stadium, fee.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- You'll be right on target at the Archery Field in Golden Gate Park, located off Fulton Street and 47th Avenue. Bring your own targets, bows and arrows, bales of hay are provided, free.

10 a.m. - Noon -- "Tools for the Gardener", learn about the tools of the trade at the San Francisco County Fair Building, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way, $10, call 661-0668 for registration information.

10 a.m. - 2 p.m. -- "Your Trip in a Sketchbook", a workshop for the garden traveler at the San Francisco County Fair Building, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way, $35, call 661-0668 for registration information.

11 a.m. - Noon -- Yoga Classes for Senior Citizens at Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street, near 37th Avenue, $3 donation requested.

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SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 5

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Horseback riding lessons available at the Golden Gate Park Stables, Kennedy Drive and 36th Avenue in Golden Gate Park, fee.

10 a.m.-5 p.m. -- Spend a pleasant Sunday with your favorite animals at the San Francisco Zoo, Sloat Blvd. at the Pacific Ocean, fee.

11 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Old Fashioned Buggy Ride in Golden Gate Park, tours leave from Japanese Tea Garden in Band Concourse Area, call 761-8272 for more information, fee.

1 p.m. -- Golden Gate Park Band Concert in the Bandshell in Golden Gate Park, free.

2 - 4 p.m. -- Ray Bell and his Band play ballroom dance music at the Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street, near 37th Avenue, $2 donation.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 6

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Enjoy the exhibits at the Randall Museum, featuring live animals and a working seismograph, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, free.

5:15 - 7:15 p.m. -- Body Pulse Aerobics, a total aerobic exercise program, Mission Community Center, 2450 Harrison Street, $40 for 10 classes, $5.50 per class.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 7

10 a.m. - Noon -- "Every Plant is a Native . . . Somewhere", lecture at the San Francisco County Fair Building, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park, $5, call 661-0668 for registration information.

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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 7, CONTINUED

6:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m. -- Drop-in, co-ed volleyball at the Noe Valley Recreation Center, Day and Sanchez Streets, free.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 8

11 a.m. - Noon -- The Art of Storytelling for Adults, taught by an experienced tale spinner, Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Building, 50 Scott Street, Free.

7:45 p.m. -- Round and Folk Dancing Classes, beginners may come for an introductory session at 7:15 p.m., at St. Mary's Recreation Center, Murray Street and Justin Drive, free.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 9

7 - 8 p.m. -- Belly Dancing, beginners, finger cymbals, solo improvisation exercise, Sunset Recreation Center, 28th Avenue and Lawton Street, 10 weeks - $40, single class - $5, call 584-1305 for registration information.

7 - 8:30 p.m. -- Yoga for adults and teens, including "Mudra" and "Dhyana" techniques, Eureka Valley Recreation Center, 100 Collingwood Street near 18th Street, donation requested.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 10

4 - 5:30 p.m. -- Jazz Ballet, introduction to jazz using basic ballet techniques, ages 7-12 years, Eureka Valley Recreation Center, Collingwood and 18th Streets, free.

7-8 p.m. -- Evening Swimming at Balboa Pool, San Jose Avenue and Havelock, fee.

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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11

10 a.m. - Noon -- "The Holistic Approach to Plant Care", at the San Francisco County Fair Building, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way, $10, call 661-0668 for registration information.

10 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- Try your hand at Lawn Bowling at the Lawn Bowling Greens, Bowling Green Drive between John F. Kennedy and South Drives, for reservations call 681-1580, fee.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Throw your lucky shoe at the Horseshoe Court, located in Golden Gate Park, near Fulton and Stanyan Streets, free.

11 a.m. - Noon -- Yoga Classes for Senior Citizens at Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street, near 37th Avenue, $3 donation requested.

Noon - 1:30 p.m. -- Chinese New Year Celebration Kick-Off at Union Square, Geary and Powell Streets, free.

1 p.m. -- See trees walk! "The Pneumatic Men" exhibit at the Exploratorium, 3601 Lyon Street, free.

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SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 12

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Vaccination Clinic for dogs and cats provided by Pet Prevent-a-Care, Inc., in the Dog Training Area, Golden Gate Park near 36th Avenue and Fulton Street.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Horseback riding lessons available at the Golden Gate Park Stables, Kennedy Drive near 36th Avenue in Golden Gate Park, fee.

10 a.m.-5 p.m. -- Spend a pleasant Sunday with your favorite animals at the San Francisco Zoo, Sloat Blvd. at the Pacific Ocean, fee.

11 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Old Fashioned Buggy Ride in Golden Gate Park, tours leave from Japanese Tea Garden in Band Concourse Area, call 761-8272 for more information, fee.

Noon - Annual Chinese New Year Carnival, Portsmouth Square, Washington and Kearny Streets, free.

1 p.m. -- Golden Gate Park Band Concert in the Bandshell in Golden Gate Park, free.

2 - 4 p.m. -- Ray Bell and his Band play ballroom dance music at the Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street, near 37th Avenue, $2 donation.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 13

3:30 - 5 p.m. -- Tap and Ballet classes for children ages 7-12 years at Midtown Terrace Playground, Clarendon Drive and Olympia Way, free.

7:45 - Round Dancing for singles and couples at the Upper Noe Valley Recreation Center, Day and Sanchez Streets, free.

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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 14

10 a.m. - Noon -- "The Floral Beauty of South Africa", lecture at the San Francisco County Fair Building, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park, $5, call 661-0668 for registration information.

1 - 3:30 p.m. -- Learn to See, Draw and Paint in Your Own Way, Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street, near 37th Avenue, bring your own art supplies, free.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 15

11 a.m. - Noon -- Learn the Art of Storytelling from an expert, Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Building, 50 Scott Street, Free.

2:30 - 4 p.m. -- Tap Dance classes for children at the Helen Wills Playground, Broadway and Larkin Streets, free.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 16

7 - 8 p.m. -- Belly Dancing classes for beginners, finger cymbals, solo improvisation exercise, Sunset Recreation Center, 28th Avenue and Lawton Street, 10 weeks - $40, single class - $5, call 584-1305 for registration information.

7 - 8:30 p.m. -- Yoga for adults and teens, including "Mudra" and "Dhyana" techniques, Eureka Valley Recreation Center, 100 Collingwood Street near 18th Street, donation requested.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 17

4:15 - 5:45 -- Teen Tap classes at Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Ave. on Corona Heights, free.

6 - 7 p.m. -- Body Pulse Aerobics at Upper Noe Valley Recreation Center, Day and Sanchez Streets, $40 for 10 sessions, $5.50 per session.

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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 18

6:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. -- Boating and Fishing at Lake Merced, #1 Harding Road and Skyline Blvd. at the Great Highway, call 753-1101 for more information, fee.

8:30 - 5:30 p.m. -- Visit the Japanese Tea Garden, an exquisite rural style Japanese tea garden in the Band Concourse Area of Golden Gate Park, fee.

9 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- The Conservatory of Flowers features an impressive collection of plants from around the world, eastern end of John F. Kennedy Drive in Golden Gate Park, fee.

10 a.m. - Noon -- "The Art and Science of Pruning", Lecture at the San Francisco County Fair Building, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way, $10, call 661-0668 for registration information.

11 a.m. - Noon -- Yoga Classes for Senior Citizens at Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street, near 37th Avenue, $3 donation requested.

2:30 - 3:30 p.m. -- Tap is a Snap, Dance Class for children ages 7-12 years, West Sunset Playground, 39th Avenue and Ortega Street, free.

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SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 19

10 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- "The Work of Maria Sibylla, by Patricia Kleps Hok" Exhibition of botanically related artwork at the Helen Crocker Russell Library, Strybing Arboretum, near 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- "Sliding Toward Extinction: The Vanishing Wildlife of California", Photographic Exhibit, a compelling call to action for a major preservation effort in our state, at California Academy of Sciences, Bandcourse Area of Golden Gate Park, fee.

11 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Enjoy your Sunday with an old fashioned Buggy Ride in Golden Gate Park, tours leave from Japanese Tea Garden in Band Concourse Area, call 761-8272 for more information, fee.

1 p.m. -- Golden Gate Park Band Concert conducted by Robert Hansen, in the Bandshell, in Golden Gate Park, free.

2 - 4 p.m. -- Variety Show at the Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street, near 37th Avenue, $2 donation.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 20

6:15 - 7:15 -- Get rid of the Monday blahs with Body Pulse Aerobics at the Mission Recreation Center, 2450 Harrison Street, $5.50 per class, or $40 for 10 classes.

7:45 - Traditional Round Dancing for singles and couples at the Upper Noe Valley Recreation Center, Day and Sanchez Streets, free.

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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 21, (Continued)

6:30 - 9:30 p.m. -- Jolly Volley Follies, drop-in, co-ed volleyball at the Upper Noe Valley Recreation Center, Day and Sanchez Streets, free.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 22

11 a.m. - Noon -- Learn the Art of Storytelling from an expert, Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Building, 50 Scott Street, Free.

7:15 p.m. -- Round and Folk Dance Classes at St. Mary's Recreation Center, Murray Street and Justin Drive, free.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 23

9:30 - Noon -- Tennis Classes for adults, Glen Park, Bosworth and O'Shaughnessy Streets, free.

7 - 8:30 p.m. -- Yoga for adults and teens, including "Mudra" and "Dhyana" techniques, Eureka Valley Recreation Center, 100 Collingwood Street near 18th Street, donation requested.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 24

6 - 8 a.m. -- Early morning Lap Swimming at Rossi Pool, Arguello Blvd. and Anza Street, fee.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Horseback Riding Lessons available at the Golden Gate Park Stables, Kennedy Drive near 36th Avenue in Golden Gate Park, fee.

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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 25

6:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. -- Boating and Fishing at Lake Merced, #1 Harding Road and Skyline Blvd. at the Great Highway, call 753-1101 for more information, fee.

7 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Play Golf at the Golden Gate Park Golf Course, located near 47th Avenue and Fulton Streets in Golden Gate Park, nine holes, all par three, call 751-8987 for information.

8:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. -- Visit the Japanese Tea Garden, an exquisite rural style Japanese tea garden in the Band Concourse Area of Golden Gate Park, fee.

10 a.m. - 4 p.m. (Saturday and Sunday) -- San Francisco Society of Fine Arts Show, Union Square, Geary and Powell Streets, free.

11 a.m. - Noon -- Yoga Classes for Senior Citizens at Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street, near 37th Avenue, $3 donation requested.

1:30 p.m. -- Recreational Swimming at Coffman Pool, Visitacion Avenue and Hahn Street, fee.

2:30 - 3:30 p.m. -- Tap is a Snap, Dance Class for children ages 7-12 years, West Sunset Playground, 39th Avenue and Ortega Street, free.

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SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 26

10 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- Lawn Bowling at Bowling Green Drive, between John F. Kennedy and King Drives in Golden Gate Park, call 681-1580 for further information, fee.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Take a Sunday bicycle ride through the Park! John F. Kennedy Drive is closed to auto traffic from Kezar Drive to Transverse Drive on Sundays.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Artists Guild of San Francisco exhibit at Hoover Redwood Grove, west of 19th Avenue and Lincoln in Golden Gate Park, free.

1 p.m. -- Golden Gate Park Band Concert conducted by Robert Hansen, in the Bandshell, in Golden Gate Park, free.

2 - 4 p.m. -- Ray Bell and His Band perform Ballroom Dance Music at the Golden Gate Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street, near 37th Avenue, $2 donation.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 27

3:30 - 5 p.m. -- Tap and Ballet Class for ages 7-12 years, Midtown Terrace Playground, Clarendon Drive and Olympia Way, free.

7:45 - Traditional Round Dancing for singles and couples at the Upper Noe Valley Recreation Center, Day and Sanchez Streets, free.

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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 28

10 a.m. - Noon -- "A Mediterranean Medley: Spain, Corsica and Cyprus", Lecture at the San Francisco County Fair Building, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park, $5, call 661-0668 for registration information.

6:30 - 9:30 p.m. -- Jolly Volley Follies, drop-in, co-ed volleyball at the Upper Noe Valley Recreation Center, Day and Sanchez Streets, free.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 1

Noon - 1:30 p.m. -- The French Military Band will be performing at Justin Herman Plaza, Market and Steuart Streets, free.

7:30 - 8:30 p.m. -- Aikido Classes, a gentle Japanese Martial Art, Sunset Recreation Center, 28th Avenue and Lawton Street, $20 for 8-week course, call 574-0862 for registration information.

THURSDAY, MARCH 2

4:30 - 6 p.m. -- Junior Theater for ages 10-16 years, Sunset Recreation Center, 28th Avenue and Lawton Street, free.

7 - 8:30 p.m. -- Yoga for adults and teens, including "Mudra" and "Dhyana" techniques, Eureka Valley Recreation Center, 100 Collingwood Street near 18th Street, donation requested.

FRIDAY, MARCH 3

6 - 7 p.m. -- Body Pulse Aerobics, Upper Noe Recreation Center, Day and Sanchez Streets, $40 for 10 classes, $5.50 per class.

8 - 9 p.m. -- Recreational Swimming at Garfield Pool, 26th and Harrison Streets, fee.

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SATURDAY, MARCH 4

10 - 11:30 a.m. -- Start your weekend with Lap Swimming at North Beach Pool, Lombard and Mason Streets, fee.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- (Saturday and Sunday) Artists Guild of San Francisco Exhibit at Union Square, Powell and Geary Streets, Free.

10:15 - 11:15 a.m. -- Body Pulse Aerobics for Adults, Mission Community Center, 2450 Harrison Street, 10 classes - $40; single class - $5.50.

10:30 - 11:30 a.m. -- Adult Beginning Tennis Class, Junipero Serra Playground, 300 Stonecrest Drive, free.

10:30 a.m. - noon -- "Doing and Viewing Art", docent led tours of current exhibitions, followed by studio workshops, for ages 7 - 13 years, first 25 children accepted on a drop-in basis, at the deYoung Museum, Golden Gate Park, free.

11 a.m. - Noon -- Yoga Classes for Senior Citizens at Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street, near 37th Avenue, $3 donation requested.

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SUNDAY, MARCH 5

10 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- Lawn Bowling at Bowling Green Drive, between John F. Kennedy and King Drives in Golden Gate Park, call 681-1580 for further information, fee.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Take a Sunday bicycle ride through the Park! John F. Kennedy Drive is closed to auto traffic from Kezar Drive to Transverse Drive on Sundays.

11 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Turn of the Century Carriage Rides in Golden Gate Park, tours start from the Music Concourse near the Japanese Tea Garden, fee.

2:45 - 4:45 p.m. -- French Military Band performs in the Bandshell, in Golden Gate Park, free.

2 - 4 p.m. -- Ray Bell and His Band perform Ballroom Dance Music at the Golden Gate Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street, near 37th Avenue, $2 donation.

MONDAY, MARCH 6

4:30 - 5:30 p.m. -- Weightlifting for teens and adults, age 15 years and up, Junipero Serra playground, 300 Stonecrest Drive, free.

6:30 - 7:30 p.m. -- Water Exercise Class for Adults at Rossi Pool, Arguello Blvd. and Anza Street, $3 fee.

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TUESDAY, MARCH 7

1 - 3:30 p.m. -- Learn to See, Draw and Paint in Your Own Way, Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton, near 37th Avenue, bring your own art supplies, free.

6:30 - 9:30 p.m. -- Drop in Co-ed Volleyball follies at the Upper Noe Valley Recreation Center, Day and Sanchez Streets, free.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 8

7:30 p.m. - "Cultural Heritage of the California Garden", lecture at the San Francisco County Fair Building, near 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way in Golden Gate Park, call 661-0668 for further information, fee.

7:30 p.m. -- The Exploratorium celebrates International Women's Day with a lecture "Images of Women in Science" focusing on the contributions of Lise Meitner, 3601 Lyon Street, fee.

THURSDAY, MARCH 9

3:30 - 4 p.m. -- Tap Dance Class for ages 3-6 years; 4 - 5 p.m. -- Tap Dance Class for children 7 years and up, Crocker Amazon Playground, Geneva and Moscow Streets, free.

7 - 8:30 p.m. -- Yoga for adults and teens, including "Mudra" and "Dhyana" techniques, Eureka Valley Recreation Center, 100 Collingwood Street near 18th Street, donation requested.

FRIDAY, MARCH 10

10 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. -- "Exploring the Design Process" Workshop on Landscaping at the San Francisco County Fair Building, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way in Golden Gate Park, for further information call 661-0668, fee.

7 - 8 p.m. -- Recreational Swimming at Balboa Pool, San Jose Avenue and Havelock, fee.

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SATURDAY, MARCH 11

7 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Play Golf at the Golden Gate Golf Course, near 47th Avenue and Fulton Street in Golden Gate Park, call 751-8987 for information, fee.

10 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- San Francisco Society of Fine Arts Show, exhibit at Washington Square, Union and Stockton Streets, free.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Artists Guild of San Francisco Exhibit at Hoover Redwood Grove, 19th Avenue and Lincoln Way in Golden Gate Park, Free.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Practice your Flycasting at the Flycasting Pools, located between Middle Drive and Kennedy Drive, west of the Polo Field, behind Anglers Lodge, free.

10:00 a.m. - Noon -- "To Water or Not to Water: Drip Irrigation Systems" lecture sponsored by the Strybing Arboretum Society, San Francisco County Fair Building, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park, call 661-0668 for information, fee $10.

Noon - 2 p.m. -- Chinese Classical Dance Class for children and adults, Chinese Recreation Center, Washington and Mason Streets, free.

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SUNDAY, MARCH 12

6:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. -- Boating and Fishing at Lake Merced, #1 Harding Road, Skyline Blvd. at the Great Highway, call 753-1101 for further information, fee.

11 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Turn of the Century Carriage Rides in Golden Gate Park, tours start from the Music Concourse near the Japanese Tea Garden, fee.

12:30 p.m. -- St. Patrick's Day Parade, bring your favorite leprechaun, reviewing stand on the Polk Street sidewalk edge of Civic Center Plaza, free.

2 - 4 p.m. -- Ray Bell and His Band perform Ballroom Dance Music at the Golden Gate Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street, near 37th Avenue, $2 donation.

MONDAY, MARCH 13

4:30 - 5:30 p.m. -- Weightlifting for teens and adults, age 15 years and up, Junipero Serra playground, 300 Stonecrest Drive, free.

7:45 p.m. -- Traditional Round Dancing at Upper Noe Recreation Center, Day and Sanchez Streets, free.

TUESDAY, MARCH 14

10 a.m. - Noon -- "The Distinctly Different Australians", lecture sponsored by the Strybing Arboretum Society, San Francisco County Fair Building, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way in Golden Gate Park, call 661-0668 for information, fee $5.00.

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TUESDAY, MARCH 14, continued

6:30 - 9:30 p.m. -- Jolly Volley Follies, drop in co-ed Volleyball at the Upper Noe Valley Recreation Center, Day and Sanchez Streets, free.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 15

4 - 5 p.m. -- Water Exercise Classes for Adults, Rossi Pool, Arguello Blvd. and Anza Streets, $3.00 fee.

5 - 7 p.m. -- Boxing for Beginners, ages 13-17 years, Chinese Recreation Center, Washington and Mason Streets, free.

THURSDAY, MARCH 16

9:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. -- Dressmaking and Tailoring for Senior Citizens, Hamilton Recreation Center, Geary and Steiner Streets, free.

7 - 8:30 p.m. -- Yoga for adults and teens, including "Mudra" and "Dhyana" techniques, Eureka Valley Recreation Center, 100 Collingwood Street near 18th Street, donation requested.

FRIDAY, MARCH 17

6 a.m. - 11 a.m. -- "Flowers: From the Market to Your Table", Tour and Workshop by the Strybing Arboretum Society, call 661-0668 to register, $40 fee.

4:30 - 6 p.m. -- Teen Sports and Fitness Class, Junipero Serra Playground, 300 Stonecrest Drive, free.

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SATURDAY, MARCH 18

6 - 8 a.m. -- Early morning lap swim at Garfield Pool, 26th and Harrison Streets, fee.

8 a.m. -- BirdAbout at the San Francisco Zoo with an experienced birder, spot hundreds of migrating birds, meet at the South Zoo Gate on Herbst Road, to register, call 661-2023, fee $10.

9 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Horseback Riding Lessons are available at the Golden Gate Park Stables, Kennedy Drive and 36th Avenue in Golden Gate Park, for more information, call 668-7360, fee.

9 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Conservatory of Flowers features an impressive collection of plants from around the world, Kennedy Drive opposite Third Avenue in Golden Gate Park, fee.

10 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- San Francisco Society of Fine Arts Show, exhibit at Union Square, Geary and Powell Streets, free.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Artists Guild of San Francisco Exhibit at Washington Square, Union and Stockton Streets, free.

Noon - 5 p.m. (time approximate) -- "A Festival of Celtic Films" at the Exploratorium, presented in association with the Institute of Celtic Studies, 3601 Lyon Street, fee.

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SUNDAY, MARCH 19

8 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- You'll be right on target at the Archery Range in Golden Gate Park, located off Fulton Street and 47th Avenue, bring your own target, bow and arrows, bales of hay are provided.

11 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Turn of the Century Carriage Rides in Golden Gate Park, tours start from the Music Concourse near the Japanese Tea Garden, fee.

1 p.m. -- Golden Gate Park Band performs in the Band Concourse in Golden Gate Park, free.

2 - 4 p.m. -- Variety Show at the Golden Gate Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street, near 37th Avenue, donation requested.

MONDAY, MARCH 20

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Celebrate the First Day of Spring with the animals at the San Francisco Zoo, Sloat Blvd. at the Pacific Ocean, fee.

6:30 - 7:30 p.m. -- Water Exercise Classes for Adults, Rossi Pool, Arguello Blvd. and Anza Street, $3 fee.

TUESDAY, MARCH 21

10 a.m. - Noon -- "The Menzies Garden of California Native Plants", lecture sponsored by the Strybing Arboretum Society, San Francisco County Fair Building, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way in Golden Gate Park, call 661-0668 for information, fee $5.00.

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TUESDAY, MARCH 21, continued

7 p.m. -- Learn to Pick and Play Guitar, 8 Tuesday classes at J. P. Murphy Recreation Center, 1960 - 9th Avenue, call 731-2527 to register, fee $25.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 22

11 a.m. - Noon -- Storytelling Workshop, taught by an expert, Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Building, 50 Scott Street, free.

7 - 9 p.m. -- City Chorus Rehearsals at Washington High School Choir Room. To schedule your audition, call Fred Goff at 586-4805.

THURSDAY, MARCH 23

10 a.m. - 2 p.m. -- "Bay Area Wildflower Walks", series of 5 Thursday walks, Strybing Arboretum Society, $90 fee, call 661-0668 to register.

5 - 6 p.m. -- Get on the Brain Train, free tutoring class for children ages 7 and older, at Junipero Serra Playground, 300 Stonecrest.

FRIDAY, MARCH 24

4 - 5:30 p.m. -- Jazz Ballet Class, ages 7-12 years, Eureka Valley Recreation Center, 18th and Collingwood Streets, free.

7:30 p.m. -- Tai Chi Class, co-ed adults, Chinese Recreation Center, Washington and Mason Streets, free.

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SATURDAY, MARCH 25

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- The Ancient Craft of the Blacksmith, demonstration by Eric Clausen at the Exploratorium, 3601 Lyon Street, fee.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Try your skill at Horseshoe Pitching at the Horseshoe Court located near Fulton and Stanyan Streets in Golden Gate Park, bring your own shoes, free.

11 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- Easter "Eggstravaganza" at Randall Museum, multi-cultural traditions of the Season, including storyteller Bertram Minkin, and egg decorator Anne Easley, bring eggs to dye, see baby chicks and ducklings in the Animal Room, 199 Museum Way, near Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, lunch and some workshop fees, call 863-1399 for more information.

2-4 p.m. -- Easter Celebration at Children's Playground, featuring Magic Steve and his bag of tricks, Bowling Green Drive in Golden Gate Park, free.

2:30 - 3:30 p.m. -- Tap is a Snap, Tap Dance Class for 7-12 year olds at West Sunset Playground, 39th Avenue and Ortega Street, free.

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SUNDAY, MARCH 26

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Celebrate Easter with your favorite animal at the San Francisco Zoo, Sloat Blvd. at the Pacific Ocean, fee.

11 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Turn of the Century Carriage Rides in Golden Gate Park, tours start from the Music Concourse near the Japanese Tea Garden, fee.

1 p.m. -- Golden Gate Park Band performs in the Band Concourse in Golden Gate Park, free.

2 - 4 p.m. -- Ray Bell and his Band play Ballroom Dance Music at the Golden Gate Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street, near 37th Avenue, donation requested.

MONDAY, MARCH 27

6:15 - 7:15 p.m. -- Body Pulse Aerobics at Mission Recreation Center, 2450 Harrison Street, $40 for 10 classes, $5.50 for one.

7:45 p.m. -- Traditional Round Dancing at the Upper Noe Recreation Center, Day and Sanchez Streets, free.

TUESDAY, MARCH 28

10 a.m. - Noon -- "The Cloud Forest: Inspiration for a Fog-Belt Garden", lecture sponsored by the Strybing Arboretum Society, San Francisco County Fair Building, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way in Golden Gate Park, call 661-0668 for information, fee $5.00.

5-6 p.m. --Get on the Brain Train, free tutoring class for children ages 7 and older, at Junipero Serra Playground, 300 Stonecrest.

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 29

Noon - 2 p.m. -- Malaysian Cultural Dance Troup performs at Justin Herman Plaza, Market Street at the Embarcadero, free.

7:30 p.m. "The California Gardener" lecture sponsored by the Strybing Arboretum Society, San Francisco County Fair Building, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way in Golden Gate Park, fee, call 661-0668 for information.

THURSDAY, MARCH 30

7 - 8:30 p.m. -- Yoga Classes, for adults, including traditional postures and relaxing techniques, Eureka Valley Recreation Center, 100 Collingwood Street, donation requested.

8:30 - 9:30 p.m. -- Water Exercise Class, for Adults, at Sava Pool, 19th and Wawona Street, $3 fee.

FRIDAY, MARCH 31

10 a.m. - Noon -- Kid's Gym, a social and athletic experience for toddlers at Moscone Playground, Chestnut and Buchanan Streets, $15 for 10 weeks, call 567-2811 to register.

2 - 5 p.m. -- "Drawing and Painting Techniques for Landscape Design", six Friday classes, sponsored by the Strybing Arboretum Society, San Francisco County Fair Building, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way in Golden Gate Park, call 661-0668 to register, $130 fee.

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SATURDAY, APRIL 1

HAPPY APRIL FOOL'S DAY!

8 a.m. -- Bird About at the San Francisco Zoo, meet at the South Gate on Herbst Road, fee $10.00.

9:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. -- "Making Friends with Flowers through Drawing," one day workshop with shaded pencil, sponsored by the Strybing Arboretum Society, San Francisco County Fair Building, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way in Golden Gate Park, call 661-0668 for information, $50 fee.

10 a.m. - 1 p.m. -- Leukemia Society of America's Annual Louie, Louie Parade, reviewing stand at Justin Herman Plaza, Market and Steuart Streets, Embarcadero Center.

10 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- "Bowling on the Green", a medieval sport available at the Lawn Bowling Greens, Bowling Green Drive between Kennedy and King Drives in Golden Gate Park, call 681-1580 for information.

Noon - 2:30 p.m. -- Don't miss the Annual St. Stupid's Day Parade, starting at the TransAmerica building downtown at noon, reviewing stand at Washington Square Park, Union and Stockton Streets, at 12:30 p.m., free.

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SUNDAY, APRIL 2

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Bicycling in the Park, a scenic ride through Golden Gate Park, on Sundays, Kennedy Drive is closed to auto traffic from Kezar to Transverse Drives, free.

11 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Turn of the Century Carriage Rides in Golden Gate Park, tours start from the Music Concourse near the Japanese Tea Garden, fee.

1 p.m. -- Golden Gate Park Band, conducted by Robert Hansen, performs in the Band Concourse in Golden Gate Park, free.

2 - 4 p.m. -- Ray Bell and his Band play Ballroom Dance Music at the Golden Gate Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street, near 37th Avenue, donation requested.

MONDAY, APRIL 3

3:30 - 5 p.m. -- Tap and Ballet Class for children ages 7-12 years, Midtown Terrace Playground, Clarendon Drive and Olympia Way, free.

6:30 - 7:30 p.m. -- Water Exercise Class for Adults, Rossi Pool, Arguello Blvd. and Anza Street, no swimming skills necessary, $3 fee.

TUESDAY, APRIL 4

10 a.m. - Noon -- "Garden Ideas from the Redwood Forests", lecture sponsored by the Strybing Arboretum Society, San Francisco County Fair Building, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way in Golden Gate Park, call 661-0668 for information, fee $5.00.

7:30 - 8:30 p.m. -- Aikido, a gentle Japanese Martial Art, discipline techniques dating back to the times of the Samurai Warriors, Adult Beginners, Sunset Recreation Center, Lawton and 28th Street, $20 for 6 weeks, call 369-8451 for more information.

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5

3:30 - 5 p.m. -- Children's Drama Class, ages 6-12 years, Hamilton Recreation Center, Geary and Steiner Streets, free.

5 - 7 p.m. -- Boxing for Beginners, ages 13-17 years, Chinese Recreation Center, Washington and Mason Streets, free.

THURSDAY, APRIL 6

5 - 6 p.m. -- Free Tutoring Class, Children 7 years and older, Junipero Serra Playground, 300 Stonecrest Drive.

7 - 11 p.m. -- Goodbye Old Kezar, honoring 49er greats at Kezar Stadium, Stanyan and Frederick Streets, Tickets $30 sold at Ticketron, Pat O'Shea's Mad Hatter and McLaren Lodge, for more information call 558-4268.

FRIDAY, APRIL 7

10 a.m. - Noon -- Kid's Gym, a social and athletic experience for toddlers at Moscone Playground, Chestnut and Buchanan Streets, $15 for 10 weeks, call 567-2811 to register.

6 - 7 p.m. -- Body Pulse Aerobics for Adults, Upper Noe Recreation Center, Day and Sanchez Streets, $40 for 10 classes, $5.50 for one.

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SATURDAY, APRIL 8

9 a.m. - 7 p.m. -- Enjoy horseback riding lessons at Golden Gate Park Stables, Kennedy Drive and 36th Avenue, Golden Gate Park, call 668-7360 for information, fee.

10:30 - 11:30 a.m. -- Learn About Your Eyes, class includes a dissection, for children at Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, free.

10 a.m. - Noon -- Tennis Class for Adults, beginner level, J.P. Murphy Playground, 1960 - 9th Avenue, donation - 1 unopened can of three tennis balls, free.

10 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- San Francisco Society of Fine Arts exhibit at Washington Square Park, Union and Stockton Streets, free.

11 a.m. - 2 p.m. -- Family Field Day at Kezar Stadium, Farewell Event for the Old Stadium, featuring sports heroes, athletic events, stadium food, cheerleading squads, and much more, at Frederick and Waller Streets, Adults - $2, Children - 50¢.

2:30 - 3:30 p.m. -- Tap is a Snap, free Tap Dance Class for 7-12 year olds, West Sunset Playground, 39th Avenue and Ortega Street.

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SUNDAY, APRIL 9

8:30 a.m. -- Bonne Bell 5K and 10K race, All Women's Event, in Golden Gate Park, call 681-2324 for registration information, fee.

11 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Turn of the Century Carriage Rides in Golden Gate Park, tours start from the Music Concourse near the Japanese Tea Garden, fee.

1 p.m. -- Robert Emmet Ceremonies, sponsored by the United Irish Societies of San Francisco, in the Band Concourse in Golden Gate Park, free.

2 - 4 p.m. -- Ray Bell and his Band play Ballroom Dance Music at the Golden Gate Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street, near 37th Avenue, donation requested.

MONDAY, APRIL 10

10 a.m. - Noon -- Art for Handicapped Kids, ages 12-14 years, Moscone Recreation Center, Chestnut and Buchanan Street, call 567-2811 for more information.

6:30 - 7:30 p.m. -- Water Exercise Class for Adults, Rossi Pool, Arguello Blvd. and Anza Street, no swimming skills necessary, $3 fee.

TUESDAY, APRIL 11

10 a.m. - Noon -- "Rhododendrons for California's Many Climates", lecture sponsored by the Strybing Arboretum Society, San Francisco County Fair Building, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way in Golden Gate Park, call 661-0668 for information, fee $5.00.

7:30 - 9:30 p.m. -- Old Timers Volleyball, for ages 30+, Chinese Recreation Center, Washington and Mason Streets, free.

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 12

11 a.m. - Noon -- The Art of Storytelling, taught by an expert, Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Building, 50 Scott Street, free.

7:30 - 8:30 p.m. -- Aikido Yoshinkai, the gentle Japanese Art of self defense, 6 weeks for $20, Sunset Recreation Center, Lawton and 28th Avenue, call 731-0897 to register.

THURSDAY, APRIL 13

9:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. -- Dressmaking and Tailoring Class for Senior Citizens, Hamilton Recreation Center, Geary and Steiner Streets.

7:30 p.m. -- Adult Coed Tai Chi Class, Chinese Recreation Center, Washington and Mason Streets, free

FRIDAY, APRIL 14

3 - 5 p.m. -- Basic Math Tutoring for ages 8-18 years, Moscone Recreation center, Chestnut and Buchanan Streets, free.

3 - 4:30 p.m. -- Recreational Swimming at Martin Luther King Pool, 3rd and Carroll Streets, fee.

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SATURDAY, APRIL 15

10 a.m. - 2 p.m. -- "Plants of the Serpent and the Sun", a workshop on Mayan/Aztec Ethnobotany, sponsored by Strybing Arboretum Society, San Francisco County Fair Building, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park, call 661-0668 to register, fee.

10 a.m. - Noon -- Tennis Class for Adults, beginner level, J.P. Murphy Playground, 1960 - 9th Avenue, donation - 1 unopened can of three tennis balls, free.

10:30 - 11:30 a.m. -- Learn All About Magnets, and make a toy to bring home, for children, at Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, free.

11 a.m. - Noon -- Kid's Golf, for ages 8 years and up, Moscone Recreation Center, Chestnut and Buchanan, free.

4 - 5:30 p.m. -- Lap Swimming at North Beach Pool, Lombard and Mason Streets, fee.

2:30 - 3:30 p.m. -- Tap is a Snap, free Tap Dance Class for 7-12 year olds, West Sunset Playground, 39th Avenue and Ortega Street.

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SUNDAY, APRIL 16

9 a.m. - Noon - 8th Annual Kimochi/Cherry Blossom Run, South Parking Lot near the Polo Field in Golden Gate Park, call 931-2294 for registration information.

Noon - 1:30 p.m. -- Treasure Island Navy Band performs at Justin Herman Plaza, Market and Steuart Streets, free.

Noon - 3 p.m. -- "Walk in the Rose Garden with Consulting Rosarians", Golden Gate Rose Society members will answer your questions about roses in the Rose Garden, Golden Gate Park, Free.

2 - 4 p.m. -- Variety Show at the Golden Gate Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street, near 37th Avenue, donation requested.

MONDAY, APRIL 17

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Cruise Around Stow Lake in a pedal, electric or row boat off Kennedy Drive in Golden Gate Park, fee.

7:45 p.m. -- Folk Dancing for Singles and Couples at the Upper Noe Recreation Center, Day and Sanchez Streets, free.

TUESDAY, APRIL 18

8 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Earthquake Fair, learn how to Be Prepared at Civic Center Plaza, Polk and McAllister Streets, free.

7:30 p.m. -- Learn the Dashing and Exciting Art of Ballroom Dancing, including the fox trot, swing, waltz, rumba, samba, cha cha, tango and salsa, Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Building, 50 Scott Street, $20 for the six week series.

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 19

10 a.m. - 6 p.m. (today through April 23rd), the 1989 San Francisco Landscape Garden Show, Pier 3, Fort Mason, sponsored by the Friends of Recreation and Parks, Admission $7, for more information, call 221-1310.

11 a.m. - Noon -- The Art of Storytelling, taught by expert Alice Clemens, Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Building, 50 Scott Street, free.

THURSDAY, APRIL 20

9:30 a.m. -- "Peninsula Discovery", a tour of the Peninsula by the Strybing Arboretum Society, San Francisco County Fair Building, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way in Golden Gate Park, $35, call 661-0668 to register.

5:30 - 6:30 p.m. -- Adult Water Exercise Class, Rossi Pool, Arguello Blvd. and Anza Street, $3 fee.

FRIDAY, APRIL 21

9 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Sail your Model Boat on Spreckles Lake, near 36th Avenue and Fulton Street in Golden Gate Park, free.

10 a.m. - Noon -- Kid's Gym, a social and athletic experience for Toddlers, Moscone Playground, Chestnut and Buchanan Streets, 10 weeks for 415.

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SATURDAY, APRIL 22

9:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. -- "Making Friends with Flowers Through Drawing", a Workshop on Drawing with Stippled Ink, sponsored by the Strybing Arboretum Society, San Francisco County Fair Building, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park, call 661-0668 to register, $50 fee.

9:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. -- "California Gardens in the City" Class sponsored by Strybing Arboretum Society, San Francisco County Fair Building, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park, call 661-0668 to register, $38 fee.

10 a.m. - 6 p.m. -- 1989 San Francisco Landscape Garden Show, at Pier 3, Fort Mason, benefiting the Friends of the Recreation and Parks, $7 admission, $6 Seniors.

10 a.m. -- Registration for Spring Classes and Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, call 863-1399 for further information.

1 p.m. -- "Robin Hood", performed by the Hampstead Players at the Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, free.

1 p.m. - 5 p.m. -- Take your Band of Merry Friends to the Archery Range in Golden Gate Park for Archery Practice, near 47th Avenue and Fulton Street, bring your own bow, arrows and targets, bales of hay are provided, free.

SUNDAY, APRIL 23

8 a.m. -- BikeAbout at the San Francisco Zoo, meet with your bicycles at the South Gate on Herbst Road, $10 fee.

9 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. -- 1989 Cherry Blossom Festival, starting at Civic Center Plaza, Polk and McAllister Streets, free.

10 a.m. - 6 p.m. -- 1989 San Francisco Landscape Garden Show (Last Day!) at Pier 3, Fort Mason, benefiting the Friends of the Recreation and Parks, $7 admission, $6 Seniors.

2 - 4 p.m. -- The Polish American Congress will hold its annual Polish Constitution Day in the Bandshell in Golden Gate Park, free.

MONDAY, APRIL 24

6:15 - 7:15 -- Body Pulse Aerobics, Mission Recreation Center, 2450 Harrison Street, $40 for 10 classes, $5.50 per class.

6:30 - 7:30 p.m. -- Water Exercise Class for Adults at Rossi Pool, Arguello Blvd. and Anza Street, $3.

TUESDAY, APRIL 25

Noon - 1:30 p.m. -- Join the Skip-a-Lunch Campaign at Justin Herman Plaza, Market and Steuart Street, and help out Project Open Hand, events will include a rock band concert and guest celebrity from the 49ers, donation requested.

5 - 7 p.m. -- "Plant Families", a six-week introductory course on plant families, sponsored by Strybing Arboretum Society, San Francisco County Fair Building, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park, call 661-0668 to register, $90 fee.

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26

7:30 - 8:30 p.m. -- Aikido, the Gentle Japanese Martial Art, Sunset Recreation Center, Lawton Street and 28th Avenue, $20 for six weeks.

7:30 p.m. -- Attend the Golden Gate Rose Society's regular meeting and learn how to exhibit roses at rose shows, San Francisco County Fair Building, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way in Golden Gate Park.

THURSDAY, APRIL 27

4:30 - 6 p.m. -- Junior Theatre for 10-16 year olds, including theater games, skits and charades, Sunset Recreation Center, 28th Avenue and Lawton Street, free.

5 - 6 p.m. -- "Get on the Brain Train" for children 7 years and older, tutoring class at Junipero Serra Playground, 300 Stonecrest Drive, free.

FRIDAY, APRIL 28

10 a.m. - Noon -- Kid's Gym, a social and athletic experience for Toddlers, Moscone Playground, Chestnut and Buchanan Streets, 10 weeks for $15.

8 - 9 p.m. -- Wash Away Your Stress with an invigorating lap swim at Balboa Pool, San Jose Avenue and Havelock, fee.

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SATURDAY, APRIL 29

7 a.m. - 6 p.m. - Golden Gate International Rugby Tournament at the Polo Field in Golden Gate Park, free.

8 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- American Diabetes Association Bike-A-Thon, Lindley Meadow, Golden Gate Park, call 397-3373 to register.

9:30 a.m. - 3 p.m. -- Bargain Hunter's Sale at Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, you'll find everything from clothing to furniture, good condition and low prices.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Take a Magical Journey on Golden Gate Park's Carrousel, Children's Playground at the southeast corner of the Park, across from Kezar Stadium, fee.

11 a.m. - 1 p.m. -- Needlepoint for Seniors, Joseph Lee Recreation Center, Oakdale Avenue and Mendell Street, free.

1 - 2 p.m. -- Skating for Children, ages 6 - 16 years, Tenderloin Recreation Center, 133 Golden Gate Avenue, free.

3:30 - 4:30 p.m. -- Family Swimming at Balboa Pool, San Jose Avenue and Havelock, fee.

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SUNDAY, APRIL 30

9 a.m. - May Day Run, sponsored by the American Heart Association, in Golden Gate Park, call 433-2273 to register.

Noon - 3 p.m. -- Sikh New Year, parade and music starting at Justin Herman Plaza, Market and Steuart Streets, ending at Civic Center Plaza, Polk and McAllister, free.

Noon - 3 p.m. --"Defend the Children" rally at Union Square, Powell and Geary Streets, sponsored by the Women's Spirituality Forum, focusing on the growing problem of child abuse, storytelling and children's crafts available for children, speakers, including Z Budapest, and entertainment for all.

1 p.m. -- Celebrate Norway's Constitution Day with a concert in the Bandshell in Golden Gate Park, free.

MONDAY, MAY 1

3:30 - 5 p.m. -- Arts and Crafts for Kids, ages 6-18 years, Excelsior Playground, Russia Avenue and Madrid Streets, free.

7:30 - 9:30 p.m. -- Ladies Basketball Night, St. Mary's Recreation Center, Murray Street and Justin Drive, free.

TUESDAY, MAY 2

4:30 - 6:30 p.m. -- Weightlifting, ages 15 years and up, Tenderloin Recreation Center, 133 Golden Gate Avenue, free.

6:30 - 9:30 p.m. -- Jolly Volley Follies, co-ed, drop-in volleyball, Upper Noe Valley Recreation Center, Day and Sanchez Streets, free.

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WEDNESDAY, MAY 3

11 a.m. - Noon -- Storytelling Workshop, taught by expert Alice Clemens, Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Building, 50 Scott Street, free.

5 - 7 p.m. -- Boxing for Beginners, ages 13 - 17 years, Chinese Recreation Center, Washington and Mason Streets, free.

THURSDAY, MAY 4

10:30 a.m. - Noon -- Tiny Tots Playhouse, Joseph Lee Recreation Center, Oakdale Avenue and Mendell Street, free.

3 - 4 p.m. -- Bingo for Kids, ages 6 - 18 years, Excelsior Playground, Russia Avenue and Madrid Streets.

FRIDAY, MAY 5

4 - 5 p.m. -- Drama Class, ages 8 - 12 years, Tenderloin Recreation Center, 133 Golden Gate Avenue, free.

8 - 9 p.m. -- Ballroom Dancing for Adults, Chinese Recreation Center, Washington and Mason Streets, free.

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SATURDAY, MAY 6

8 a.m. - 2 p.m. -- S.P.C.A. Petwalk '89, at Speedway Meadow, Golden Gate Park, a fundraiser for the San Francisco SPCA, call 554-3000 to register.

9 a.m. - 1 p.m. -- Registration begins for Novice Athletic Day Camps, boys and girls from 7 - 14 years, Kezar Pavilion, Stanyan and Waller Streets, fees.

9 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Learn to Ride! Horseback riding lessons taught at Golden Gate Park Stables, Kennedy Drive and 36th Avenue in Golden Gate Park, call 668-7360 for information.

10 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- San Francisco Society of Fine Arts Exhibit in Washington Square Park, Union and Stockton Streets, free.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Horseshoe Pitching in the Park, courts located off Conservatory Drive in Golden Gate Park, bring your own horseshoes, courts are free.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Boating on Stow Lake, pedal, electric and row boats available, off JFK Drive in Golden Gate Park, fee.

1 p.m. - Platen Press Workshop at Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, free.

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SUNDAY, MAY 7

8:30 a.m. - Noon -- Windmill to Windmill Run/Walk, sponsored by Trisports, benefit for Walden House, starting at Queen Wilhelmina Garden on JFK Drive in Golden Gate Park, call 540-7008 to register.

11 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Pre Mother's Day Sale, Sharon Arts Studio, near Children's Playground, on Bowling Green Drive in Golden Gate Park.

11:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. -- Celebrate Cinco de Mayo with the Golden Gate Park Band! Program includes Decatour High School Symphonic Band and the Comite Mexicano Civico Patriotica, Bandshell, Golden Gate Park, free.

2 p.m. -- Ray Bell and his Band play Ballroom Dance Music at the Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street near 37th Avenue, Donation $2.

MONDAY, MAY 8

10 a.m. - Noon -- Art for the Handicapped, ages 12-14 years, Moscone Recreation Center, Chestnut and Buchanan Streets, free.

4:30 - 6:30 p.m. -- Weight Lifting, for ages 15+, Tenderloin Recreation Center, 133 Golden Gate Avenue, free.

TUESDAY, MAY 9

9:15 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. -- "Wonders of West Marin", tour of Marin County Coast, exploring the diversity of plants, sponsored by the Strybing Arboretum Society, at San Francisco County Fair Building in Golden Gate Park, call 661-0668 to register, $35 fee.

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TUESDAY, MAY 9, Cont.

7:30 - 9:30 p.m. -- Old Timers Volleyball, for ages 30+, Chinese Recreation Center, Washington and Mason Streets, free.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 10

11 a.m. - Noon -- Storytelling Workshop, taught by expert Alice Clemens, Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Building, 50 Scott Street, free.

4 - 5 p.m. -- Water Exercise class for adults, Rossi Pool, Arguello Blvd. and Anza Street, $3 fee.

THURSDAY, MAY 11

10:30 a.m. - Noon -- Tiny Tots Playhouse, Joseph Lee Recreation Center, Oakdale Avenue and Mendell Street, free.

5 - 7 p.m. -- "Up the Walls and Over Our Heads, Vines for Gardens", six week class on Thursdays, sponsored by the Strybing Arboretum Society, San Francisco County Fair Building, Golden Gate Park, call 661-0668 to register.

FRIDAY, MAY 12

10 a.m. - Noon -- Kid's Gym, a Social and Athletic Experience for Toddlers, Moscone Playground, Chestnut and Buchanan Streets, $15 for 10 weeks, call 567-2811 to register.

8:30 - 9:30 p.m. -- Lap Swimming at Sava Pool, 19th Avenue and Wawona Street, fee.

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SATURDAY, MAY 13

8 a.m. - 2 p.m. -- 4th Annual Golden Gate Walkathon and Block Party, fundraiser for "Self Help for the Elderly", Washington Square, Union and Stockton Streets, call 982-9171 for more information.

8:30 - 9:55 a.m. -- Lap Swimming at Garfield Pool, 26th and Harrison Streets, fee.

10 a.m. - 1 p.m. -- Lapidary Workshop, with the Galileo Gem Guild Staff, for ages 9 years and up, at Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, free.

10 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- Golden Gate Blues Festival, sponsored by Swords to Plowshares, a Veterans group, and the San Francisco Food Bank, at the Bandshell and Music Concourse in Golden Gate Park.

1 - 4 p.m. -- Golden Gate Model Railroad Club exhibits one of the largest Model Railroads in the Country at Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, free.

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SUNDAY, MAY 14

8:30 a.m. -- Mother's Day Tour of the Zoo and Breakfast, meet at the South Gate of the San Francisco Zoo, Herbst Road, and board the Zebra Train, fee $10 per person, Mothers free today.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Old Fashioned Buggy Rides in Golden Gate Park, tours leave from the Music Concourse area, near Japanese Tea Garden, call 761-8272 for information, fee.

1 p.m. - Golden Gate Park Band Concert, in conjunction with the Jewish Federation will celebrate Jerusalem Day at the Bandshell in Golden Gate Park, free.

2 p.m. -- Ray Bell and his Band play Ballroom Dance Music at the Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street near 37th Avenue, Donation $2.

MONDAY, MAY 15

6:15 - 7:15 p.m. -- Body Pulse Aerobics, Mission Recreation Center, 2450 Harrison Street, 10 classes - $40, single class - $5.50.

8 p.m. -- Elephant Authority Oria Douglas-Hamilton will speak on the plight of the magnificent African Elephant which is facing extinction, California Academy of Sciences in Golden Gate Park, fee $10.

TUESDAY, MAY 16

Noon - 1:30 p.m. -- Treasure Island Navy Band will perform at Justin Herman Plaza, Market and Steuart Streets, free.

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TUESDAY, MAY 16, Cont.

6:30 - 9:30 p.m. -- Jolly Volley Follies, drop-in, co-ed volleyball at Upper Noe Recreation Center, Day and Sanchez Streets, free.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 17

Noon -- Armed Forces Week Parade, featuring the 6th U.S. Army, starting from Justin Herman Plaza, Market and Steuart Streets.

3:30 - 5 p.m. -- Childrens' Drama Class, ages 6-12 years, Hamilton Recreation Center, Geary and Steiner Streets, free.

THURSDAY, MAY 18

Noon - 1:30 p.m. -- The Wyoming Band will perform at Justin Herman Plaza, Market and Steuart Streets.

8:30 - 9:30 p.m. -- Water Exercise Class for Adults, Sava Pool, 19th Avenue and Wawona Street, $3 fee.

FRIDAY, MAY 19

10 a.m. - Noon -- Kid's Gym, a Social and Athletic Experience for Toddlers, Moscone Playground, Chestnut and Buchanan Streets, $15 for 10 weeks, call 567-2811 to register.

7 p.m. - 10 p.m. -- "Wild Flower Photography", lecture sponsored by the Strybing Arboretum Society, San Francisco County Fair Building, Golden Gate Park, call 661-0668 to register, $14 fee.

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SATURDAY, MAY 20

10 a.m. - 1 p.m. -- "Gardening with Geraniums and Erodiums" lecture by Robin Parer, owner of the Geraniaceae Nursery in Kentfield, Marin County, sponsored by the Strybing Arboretum Society, call 661-0668 to register, $25 fee.

11 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- Road Derby for Children - A Bike Rodeo, Ocean View Recreation Center, Capital Ave. and Monterey Street, Free.

11 a.m. - Noon -- "Mirror Magic", games, tricks and art projects using mirrors at the Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, $1 fee.

11 a.m. - 3 p.m. -- Celebrate National Police Week at the Marina Green Parking Lot, meet S.F. Police officers, examine police equipment, learn how you can help control crime in your neighborhood.

Noon - 1:30 p.m. -- Utah National Guard Band performs at the Bandshell in Golden Gate Park, free.

1 p.m. -- Paper Making Workshop at Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, $2 fee.

2 p.m. -- Event '89, presented by the San Francisco Recreation and Park Department and the San Francisco Arts/Education Foundation, program will include 350 school children, members of the Oakland Ballet, Will Durst, Marga Gomez, Dick Bright, and Michael Pritchard, Stern Grove, 19th and Sloat.

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SUNDAY, MAY 21

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Step from daylight into moonlight and observe nocturnal primates in action at the San Francisco Zoo, Sloat Blvd. at Pacific Ocean, fee.

11 a.m. - East End Tour of Golden Gate Park with docents from the Friends of Recreation and Parks, meet in front of McLaren Lodge, Stanyan and Fell Streets, Golden Gate Park.

1 p.m. - Celebrate Children's Day with the Golden Gate Park Band Concert, in conjunction with the San Francisco Art Festival, at the Bandshell in Golden Gate Park, free.

2 p.m. -- Variety Show at the Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street near 37th Avenue, Donation $2.

MONDAY, MAY 22

9 a.m. - 6:30 p.m. -- Enjoy the peace and tranquility of the Japanese Tea Garden, Golden Gate Park, fee.

10 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- Lawn Bowling in Golden Gate Park, Bowling Green Drive between Kennedy and King Drives, call 681-1580 for reservations, fee.

TUESDAY, MAY 23

7:30 - 9:30 p.m. -- "Old Timers Volleyball", for ages 30+ years, Chinese Recreation Center, Washington and Mason Streets.

8:30 - 9:30 p.m. -- Adult Water Exercise Class, Sava Pool, 19th Avenue and Wawona, $3.

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WEDNESDAY, MAY 24

7 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Golden Gate Golf Course offers 9 holes, all par 3, near 47th Avenue and Fulton Streets in Golden Gate Park, call 751-8987 for reservations, fee.

7:30 p.m. -- "Floral Arrangements", the subject at the regular meeting of the Golden Gate Rose Society, San Francisco County Fair Building, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park, free.

THURSDAY, MAY 25

11 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- Summer Festival of Performing Arts, Bandshell, Golden Gate Park, free.

3:30 - 5:30 p.m. -- Lapidary Workshop at Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, $15 per person, call 863-7618 for information.

FRIDAY, MAY 26

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Sail your model boats on Spreckles Lake in Golden Gate Park, both wind and motor powered can launch, opposite 36th Avenue, free.

10 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- Practice flycasting at Golden Gate Park's Flycasting Pools, located between Middle and Kennedy Drives behind Anglers' Lodge.

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SATURDAY, MAY 27

9:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. -- Musical Concert and Poetry Reading in the Bandshell, Golden Gate Park, free.

9 a.m. - 6 p.m. -- The Conservatory of Flowers features an impressive collection of plants from around the world, Kennedy Drive opposite 3rd Avenue in Golden Gate Park, fee.

10 a.m. - 1 p.m. -- "Worlds Longest Conga Line" march starts at Mission Dolores Park, 19th and Dolores Streets, a fundraiser for Mission Economic and Cultural Association in conjunction with AIDS Awareness Week, for further information, call 826-1401.

11 a.m. - Noon -- Find Out All About Your Eyes, through a cow's eye's dissection, at the Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, $1 fee.

11 a.m. -- Strawberry Hill Tour, sponsored by the Friends of Recreation and Parks, meet at the Park Map between the Japanese Tea Garden and the DeYoung Museum in Golden Gate Park, free.

1 p.m. -- Puppetwork presents a humorous, educational look into the lives of dinosaurs at Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, $2 fee.

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SUNDAY, MAY 28

11 a.m. - East End Tour of Golden Gate Park with docents from the Friends of Recreation and Parks, meet in front of McLaren Lodge, Stanyan and Fell Streets, Golden Gate Park.

~~1 p.m. -- Celebrate Armenian Day with a concert at the Bandshell~~, Golden Gate Park, with the Golden Gate Park Band Concert, in conjunction with the Armenian National Committee of America, free.

2 p.m. -- Ray Bell and His Band play Ballroom Dance Music, at the Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street near 37th Avenue, Donation $2.

2 p.m. -- Japanese Tea Garden Tour, with docents from the Friends of Recreation and Parks, meet inside the main Tea Garden Gate in Golden Gate Park, admission fee.

MONDAY, MAY 29

10 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- Lawn Bowling in Golden Gate Park, Bowling Green Drive between Kennedy and King Drives, call 681-1580 for reservations, fee.

7:45 p.m. -- Traditional Round Dancing for singles and couples at the Upper Noe Recreation Center, Day and Sanchez Streets.

TUESDAY, MAY 30

9 a.m. - 7 p.m. -- Horseback Riding Lessons available in Golden Gate Park, call 668-7360 for information.

1 p.m. & 2 p.m. -- Wildlife Theater at the Zoo, featuring animal celebrities, birds of prey and reptiles, Sloat Blvd. at Pacific Ocean, fee.

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WEDNESDAY, MAY 31

4 p.m. - 5 p.m. -- Water Exercise class for Adults, Rossi Pool, Arguello and Anza Street, $3 fee.

5 p.m. - 7 p.m. -- Boxing for Beginners, ages 13-17 years, Chinese Recreation Center, Washington and Mason Streets, free.

THURSDAY, JUNE 1

11 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- City Celebration's Festival of Performing Arts, Bandshell, Golden Gate Park, free.

7 p.m. - 9:30 p.m. -- "Looking at Photographs - Photography as a Visual Language", 5 Thursday classes at the Photography Center, Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Building, 50 Scott Street, $45 fee.

FRIDAY, JUNE 2

4 p.m. - 5 p.m. -- Drama Class, 8-12 year olds, Tenderloin Recreation Center, 133 Golden Gate Avenue, free.

6:30 p.m. - 7:45 p.m. -- Lap Swimming at Garfield Pool, 26th and Harrison Streets, fee.

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SATURDAY, JUNE 3

9 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Learn to Ride Horses at Golden Gate Park Stables, Kennedy Drive and 36th Avenue in Golden Gate Park, call 668-7360 for reservations.

1:30 p.m. -- Watch Asian Elephants do their exercises at the San Francisco Zoo, (open 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.), Sloat Blvd. at the Pacific Ocean, fee.

11 a.m. - Noon -- "Shadows!" Find out all about Shadows through Games and Demonstrations, ages 6+ years, at the Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, $1 fee.

11 a.m. -- Strawberry Hill Tour, sponsored by the Friends of Recreation and Parks, meet at the Park Map between the Japanese Tea Garden and the DeYoung Museum in Golden Gate Park, free.

1 p.m. -- "Photograms", Huge Diazo prints without a camera or darkroom, Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, $2 fee.

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SUNDAY, JUNE 4

10 a.m. - 1 p.m. -- Jubilee Day Parade, starting from Bayview Playground, 3rd and Armstrong, free.

11 a.m. - East End Tour of Golden Gate Park, docents from the Friends of Recreation and Parks, meet in front of McLaren Lodge, Stanyan and Fell Streets, Golden Gate Park.

1 p.m. - Celebrate Italian Day with a concert at the Bandshell, Golden Gate Park, with the Golden Gate Park Band, in conjunction with the Italian Federation of California, free.

2 p.m. -- West End Tour of Golden Gate Park, docents from the Friends of Recreation and Parks, meet at the Park Map at Spreckles Lake near 36th Avenue in Golden Gate Park, free.

MONDAY, JUNE 5

6 p.m. - 9 p.m. -- "A Gardeners Botany", four classes sponsored by the Strybing Arboretum Society, San Francisco County Fair Building, 9th Ave. and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park, $70 fee, call 661-1316 to enroll.

7:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m. -- "Basic Black and White Photography", 8 classes at the Photography Center, Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Building, 50 Scott St., $50 fee, call 558-4346 to enroll.

TUESDAY, JUNE 6

6:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. -- Boating and Fishing at Lake Merced, #1 Harding Road, Skyline Blvd. at Great Highway, call 753-1101 for further information, fee.

1 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. -- Learn to See, Draw and Paint in Your Own Way, Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton St., near 37th Avenue, Golden Gate Park, bring your own art supplies, free.

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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 7

11 a.m. - Noon -- Storytelling Workshop, taught by expert Alice Clemens, Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Building, 50 Scott Street, free.

7:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m. -- "Handcoloring Black and White Photographs", 8 classes at the Photo Center, Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Building, 50 Scott Street, $50 fee, call 558-4346 to enroll.

THURSDAY, JUNE 8

7 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Play Golf at the Golden Gate Golf Course, 9 holes, all par 3, near 47th Avenue and Fulton Streets in Golden Gate Park, call 751-8987 for reservations.

8:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m. -- Water Exercises for Adults, Sava Pool, 19th Avenue and Wawona, $3.

FRIDAY, JUNE 9

6 a.m. - 8 a.m. -- Early Morning Lap Swimming at North Beach Pool, Lombard and Mason Streets, fee.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- You'll be Right on Target at the Archery Range, near 47th Avenue and Fulton in Golden Gate Park, Hay Bales provided, bring your own bow, arrows and targets, free.

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SATURDAY, JUNE 10

10 a.m. - 1 p.m. -- Plant Sale at Strybing Arboretum, featuring shrubs, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park.

10 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- Practice your Flycasting Skills at the Flycasting Pool behind Angler's Lodge, between Middle and Kennedy Drives, Golden Gate Park, free.

10 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- Enjoy the Medieval Sport of Lawn Bowling, Bowling Green Drive in Golden Gate Park, call 681-1580 for reservations, fee.

11 a.m. -- Strawberry Hill Tour, with the Friends of Recreation and Parks, meet at the Park Map between the Japanese Tea Garden and the DeYoung Museum in Golden Gate Park, free.

11 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Old Fashioned Buggy Rides in Golden Gate Park, starting from the Music Concourse in front of Japanese Tea Garden, fee.

1 p.m. - Noon -- Model Airplane Workshop with the San Francisco Vultures, at the Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, $2 fee.

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SUNDAY, JUNE 11

11 a.m. - East End Tour of Golden Gate Park, with the Friends of Recreation and Parks, meet in front of McLaren Lodge, Stanyan and Fell Streets, Golden Gate Park, free

1 p.m. - Golden Gate Park Band, conducted by Robert Hansen, performs in the Bandshell, Golden Gate Park, free.

2 p.m. - Ray Bell and His Band play Ballroom Dance Music at the Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street, near 37th Avenue, Donation $2.

2 p.m. -- Japanese Tea Garden Tour with the Friends of Recreation and Parks, meet inside the Japanese Tea Garden Main Gate, Golden Gate Park, admission fee.

MONDAY, JUNE 12

9 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Enjoy an impressive collection of plants from around the world at the Conservatory of Flowers, Kennedy Drive, Golden Gate Park, fee.

9 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Pitch your Lucky Horseshoe at Golden Gate Park's Horseshoe Court, located near Fulton and Stanyan Streets in Golden Gate Park, free.

TUESDAY, JUNE 13

Noon - 1:30 p.m. -- Peace Run, '89, starting at Justin Herman Plaza, Market and Steuart Streets, free.

8:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m. -- Water Exercise Class for Adults, Sava Pool, 19th Avenue and Wawona Street, $3.

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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 14

10:30 a.m. - 1 p.m. -- San Francisco Municipal Railway's "Kick-off" campaign for Muni's 3-Day Fast Pass, Union Square, Powell and Geary, Free.

1:30 p.m. -- "Plants and Symbolism in Asian Gardens", Tour by the Strybing Arboretum Society, meet at the Eugene Friend Gate, north of Strybing, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park, free.

THURSDAY, JUNE 15

11 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- City Celebration's Summer Festival of Performing Arts, Bandshell, Golden Gate Park, Free.

5 p.m. - 7 p.m. -- "Gardening from the Beginner's Perspective", workshop by the Strybing Arboretum Society, County Fair Building, Golden Gate Park, call 661-1316 to register, $15.

FRIDAY, JUNE 16

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Visit the Doelger Primate Discovery Center, one of the most innovative zoo exhibits in the world, at the San Francisco Zoo, Sloat Blvd. at the Pacific Ocean, fee.

3 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. -- Recreational Swimming at Balboa Pool, San Jose Avenue and Havelock Street, fee.

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SATURDAY, JUNE 17

10 a.m. - Noon -- "Green Wisdom", hear the myths and fairytales of magical and medicinal herbs at the Strybing Arboretum, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park, sponsored by the Strybing Arboretum Society, Free.

10 a.m. -- Registration for Summer Session Classes at Randall Museum, classes include textiles, art, masks, mandalas, photography, woodworking, theater and much more, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, 863-1399 for more information.

10 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- Golden Gate Blues Festival, featuring local blues musicians and bands, Bandshell, Golden Gate Park, Free.

11 a.m. - 2 p.m. -- Introduction to Tournament Croquet, sponsored by the San Francisco Croquet Club, Stern Grove, 19th and Wawona Avenues, $15 per person, call 776-4104 for reservations.

1 p.m. -- Awesome American Animals, live at Randall Museum, meet a California Black Bear, North American Timber Wolf and American Bald Eagle, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, $5 adults; $3 children, 863-1399 for reservations.

1 p.m. - Noon -- Model Airplane Workshop with the San Francisco Vultures, at the Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, $2 fee.

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SUNDAY, JUNE 18

10 a.m. - 2 p.m. -- San Francisco Veterinary Medical Assoc.'s rabies clinic for dogs, Dolores Park, 16th and Dolores Sts.

11 a.m. - East End Tour of Golden Gate Park, with the Friends of Recreation and Parks, meet in front of McLaren Lodge, Stanyan and Fell Streets, Golden Gate Park, free

1 p.m. - Golden Gate Park Band Concert, conducted by Robert Hansen, performing with City Celebration, in the Bandshell, Golden Gate Park, free.

2 p.m. - Variety Show at the Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street, near 37th Avenue, Donation $2.

2 p.m. -- San Francisco Symphony Youth Orchestra performs in Stern Grove, 19th Avenue at Sloat Blvd., free.

2 p.m. -- Lloyd Lake Tour, meet at the Park Map in front of Lloyd Lake, Golden Gate Park, for a tour with the Friends of Recreation and Parks, free.

MONDAY, JUNE 19

8:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. -- Experience the serenity of a Japanese Tea Garden, Band Concourse area of Golden Gate Park, fee.

7 p.m. - 9:30 p.m. -- "Zone System Workshop for Beginners", Photography Workshop at the Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Building, 50 Scott St, 6 Mondays, $50 fee, call 558-4346 for information.

TUESDAY, JUNE 20

10 a.m. - Noon -- "Ornamental Grasses for the Garden", lecture by Robert Hornback at the Strybing Arboretum, 9th Ave. and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park, sponsored by the Strybing Arboretum Society, $7, call 661-1316 for reservations.

TUESDAY, June 20, cont.

10 a.m. -- "Harry and the Hendersons" playing Tuesday-Thursday at Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way, on Corona Heights, $1.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 21

1 p.m. - 4 p.m. -- Senior Croquet Day, sponsored by the San Francisco Croquet Club, Stern Grove, 19th and Wawona Avenues, call 776-4104 for reservations, over 60 years - free.

4 p.m. - 5 p.m. -- Water Exercise Class for Adults, Rossi Pool, Arguello Blvd. and Anza Street, $3.

THURSDAY, JUNE 22

11 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- City Celebration's Summer Festival of Performing Arts, Bandshell, Golden Gate Park, Free.

Noon - 1:30 p.m. -- Annual Cable Car Bell Ringing Contest, Union Square, Powell and Geary Streets, free.

FRIDAY, JUNE 23

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Visit the scorpions, tarantulas and spiders at the Insect Zoo, inside the San Francisco Zoo, Sloat Blvd. at the Pacific Ocean, fee.

3 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. -- Lap Swimming at North Beach Pool, Lombard and Mason Streets, fee.

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SATURDAY, JUNE 24

a.m. -- "Flora of the Feather River Region", four day tour by the Strybing Arboretum Society, call 661-1316 for registration information, $70 fee (not including transportation, lodging or food).

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Visit the Children's Zoo, within the San Francisco Zoo, a special place where you can visit baby animals in the nursery, feed barnyard animals, curry a horse, groom a goat, see a special Farm Hands demonstration at 1 p.m., Sloat Blvd. at Pacific Ocean, admission fee.

10 a.m. -- Plant Sale at Strybing Arboretum Nursery, southwest corner of the Strybing Arboretum, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park.

11 a.m. -- Strawberry Hill Tour with the Friends of Recreation and Parks, meet at the map between the Japanese Tea Garden and the deYoung Museum, free.

1 p.m. -- "Opera Bus", come and join the performers in this fantastic romp of song and comedy, Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, 863-1399 for more information.

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SUNDAY, JUNE 25

6 a.m. - Midnight -- San Francisco Lesbian/Gay Freedom Day will be celebrated at Civic Center Plaza, Polk and McAllister, and United Nations Plaza, Market and Leavenworth Streets.

1 p.m. - Golden Gate Park Band Concert, conducted by Robert Hansen, performing with City Celebration, in the Bandshell, Golden Gate Park, free.

2 p.m. -- San Francisco Symphony, conducted by Jon Robertson, will perform Beethoven's Symphony No. 7 at Stern Grove, 19th Avenue and Wawona Avenues, free.

2 p.m. -- Japanese Tea Garden Tour, with Friends of Recreation and Parks guides, meet inside the main Tea Garden Gate. After admission is paid, tour is free.

MONDAY, JUNE 26

10 a.m. - 11 a.m. -- Story and Crafts, ages 4-5 years, Christopher Playground, 5210 Diamond Heights Blvd.

6:30 - 7:30 p.m. -- Water Exercise Class for Adults, Rossi Pool, Arguello Blvd. and Anza Street, $3 fee.

TUESDAY, JUNE 27

10 a.m. -- "The Incredible Journey" playing Tuesday-Thursday at Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way, on Corona Heights, $1.

6:30 - 9:30 p.m. -- Jolly Volley Follies, Drop-in, Co-ed Volleyball at the Upper Noe Recreation Center, Day and Sanchez Streets, free.

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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 28

11 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. -- S.P.C.A.'s special kick-off event inaugurating the new animal adoption program, Justin Herman Plaza, Steuart and Market Streets, free.

7:30 - 8:30 p.m. -- "Aikido Yoshinkai", the Gentle Martial Art, Sunset Recreation Center, 28th Avenue and Lawton Street, $20 for 8 weeks, call 731-0897 for information.

THURSDAY, JUNE 29

11 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- City Celebration's Summer Festival of Performing Arts, Bandshell, Golden Gate Park, Free.

Noon - 1:30 p.m. -- Lap Swimming and Coffman Pool, Visitacion Avenue and Hahn Street, fee.

FRIDAY, JUNE 30

10 a.m. - Noon -- Kid's Gym, ages 9-36 months, Moscone Playground, Chestnut and Buchanan Streets.

1:30 p.m. -- Tour of the Strybing Arboretum and Botanical Gardens, meet at the Strybing Arboretum Store inside the Main Gate, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way.

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SATURDAY, JULY 1

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Travel the Nature Trail at the San Francisco Zoo and encounter toads, turtles, skunks, owls, chinchillas, and volunteers who will answer your questions, Sloat Blvd. at the Pacific Ocean, admission fee.

11 a.m. -- Strawberry Hill Tour with the Friends of Recreation and Parks, meet at the map between the Japanese Tea Garden and the deYoung Museum, free.

1 p.m. -- Plants and Symbolism in Asian Gardens, Tour by Strybing Arboretum Society, meet in Gruhn Court in the Asian Art Museum, Golden Gate Park.

1 p.m. -- A Chaplin Afternoon at Randall Museum Auditorium, films include The Tramp, The Gold Rush, Easy Street and The Count, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, 863-1399 for more information.

1:30 - 3:30 p.m. -- "Twelfth Night" performed by the New Shakespeare Company at Civic Center Plaza today and Sunday, Polk and McAllister Streets, free.

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SUNDAY, JULY 2

11 a.m. -- East End Tour of Golden Gate Park with Friends of Recreation and Parks, meet in front of McLaren Lodge, Fell and Stanyan Streets, Golden Gate Park, free.

1 p.m. - Golden Gate Park Band Concert, conducted by Robert Hansen, in the Bandshell, Golden Gate Park, free.

2 p.m. -- West End Tour of Golden Gate Park with Friends of Recreation and Parks, meet at the Map at Spreckels Lake near 36th Avenue in Golden Gate Park, free.

2 p.m. -- Preservation Hall Jazz Band performs in Stern Grove, 19th Avenue and Wawona Avenues, free.

MONDAY, JULY 3

10:30 - 11:30 a.m. -- Arts and Crafts, 3-6 year olds, Mission Recreation Center, 745 Treat Street.

Noon - 1:30 p.m. -- KITS/Calistoga Event, with live music, Bandshell, Golden Gate Park, free.

TUESDAY, JULY 4

1 p.m. - Celebrate Independence Day with the Golden Gate Park Band conducted by Robert Hansen, Bandshell, Golden Gate Park, free.

2 - 3:30 p.m. -- San Francisco Mime Troupe performs at Mission Dolores Park, 18th and Dolores Streets, free.

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WEDNESDAY, JULY 5

10 a.m. -- Pee Wee's Big Adventure showing at Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, Donation $1.

11 a.m. - Noon - Sandcastle Building for Kids, Larsen Park, 19th Avenue and Vicente Street.

THURSDAY, JULY 6

11 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- City Celebration's Summer Festival of Performing Arts, featuring Ina Chalis Opera Ensemble, Les Musettes - French Can-Can and Rosa Montoya Bailes Flamencos, Bandshell, Golden Gate Park, Free.

3:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. -- Lapidary Workshop for ages 9+ years at Randall Museum with members of the Galileo Gem Guild, $15, call 589-3388 for information.

FRIDAY, JULY 7

3 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. -- Tap Dance, 3-7 year olds, St. Mary's Playground, Murray St. and Justin Dr.

6 - 7:30 p.m. -- Basketball, 14 years and under, Aptos Middle School Gym, Aptos and Ocean Avenues.

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SATURDAY, JULY 8

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Visit "Shango", San Francisco Zoo's baby gorilla, Sloat Blvd. at the Pacific Ocean, admission fee.

10 a.m. - 1 p.m. -- Plant Sale, featuring Perennials, at Strybing Arboretum, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park.

10:30 - 11:30 a.m. -- Tennis Class for Children, ages 8-12 years, beginning level, Herz Playground, Visitacion Avenue and Hahn Street, call Renee Strong at 333-0930 for more information, free.

11 a.m. -- Strawberry Hill Tour with the Friends of Recreation and Parks, meet at the map between the Japanese Tea Garden and the deYoung Museum, free.

1 - 4:30 p.m. -- Wool Fleece Workshops at Randall Museum, 1 - 2 p.m., make a ball of wool; 2:30 - 4:30 p.m., create textured designs with wool, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, call 863-1399 for information.

2 - 3:30 p.m. -- (Sat. & Sun.), San Francisco Mime Troop performs in Dolores Park, 18th and Dolores Streets, free.

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SUNDAY, JULY 9

8:15 a.m. - Noon -- San Francisco Marathon, begins at Stanyan Street and Kennedy Drive, call 681-2323 for registration information.

11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. -- California Army National Guard 59th Army Band performs at the Bandshell, Golden Gate Park, free.

Noon - 3 p.m. -- Walk in the Rose Garden with Consulting Rosarians from the Golden Gate Rose Society, Golden Gate Park, free.

2 p.m. -- "Rigoletto" performed by the San Francisco Opera, Stern Grove, 19th Avenue and Sloat Blvd., free.

2 p.m. -- Japanese Tea Garden Tour, meet inside the Main Gate of the Japanese Tea Garden, Golden Gate Park, admission fee.

MONDAY, JULY 10

10 - 11 a.m. -- Stories and Crafts, children ages 4-5 years, Christopher Playground, 5210 Diamond Heights Blvd.

7:30 - 9:30 p.m. -- Square Dancing for Adults, advanced level, Eureka Valley Recreation Center, 18th and Collingwood Streets, call 863-3531 for more information, $3 fee.

TUESDAY, JULY 11

10 a.m. -- "The Great Muppet Caper" showing today through Thursday at Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, $1.

12:30 - 3 p.m. -- "Make-A-Circus", Mission Dolores Park, 18th and Dolores Streets, free.

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WEDNESDAY, JULY 12

10:30 a.m. - Noon -- Drama Workshop, children ages 7-12 years, includes skits, monologues, etc., Moscone Recreation Center, Chestnut and Buchanan Streets, call 558-3601 for further information.

1 p.m. - 4 p.m. -- Senior Croquet Day, sponsored by the San Francisco Croquet Club, free to people over 60 years, for registration, call 776-4104.

THURSDAY, JULY 13

10:30 a.m. - 1 p.m. -- U.S.A., performing group, presents fast paced song and dance show at Justin Herman Plaza, Steuart and Market Streets, free.

11 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- City Celebration's Summer Festival of Performing Arts, featuring "October Three", German music and "Lowiczanie" Polish Folk Music, Bandshell, Golden Gate Park, Free.

FRIDAY, JULY 14

8 a.m. - Sunday, 9 p.m. -- Pygmy Forest Weekend in Mendocino with the Strybing Arboretum Society, $235 fee, call 661-1316 to register.

10 a.m. - Noon -- Tennis lessons for Adults, beginner level, Sunset Recreation Center, 28th Avenue and Lawton Street, donation 1 unopened can of 3 tennis balls, call Fay Cuthbertson at 731-2527 for further information.

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SATURDAY, JULY 15

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Visit the Zoo's new baby Koala, at the San Francisco Zoo, Sloat Blvd. at the Pacific Ocean, admission fee.

11 a.m. - 2 p.m. -- Introduction to Tournament Croquet at Stern Grove, sponsored by the S. F. Croquet Club, 19th Avenue and Wawona Street, $15 fee, call 776-4104 for reservations.

11 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- Gospel Concert, Bandshell, Golden Gate Park, free.

11 a.m. -- Strawberry Hill Tour with the Friends of Recreation and Parks, meet at the map between the Japanese Tea Garden and the deYoung Museum, free.

1 - 4:30 p.m. -- Parrots! A fun and educational look at the world's endangered parrots and the exotic bird trade, at Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, free, call 863-1399 for information.

5 - 7 p.m. -- "Gardening from the Beginner's Perspective", class by Strybing Arboretum Society, San Francisco County Fair Building, 9th Ave. and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park, $15 fee, call 661-1316 to register.

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SUNDAY, JULY 16

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Classic Car Show, sponsored by the Leukemia Society of America, Palace of Fine Arts roads and adjoining parking lots, Jefferson and Baker Streets, call 543-9821 for more information.

11 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- Northern California Outdoor Roller Skating Championship, J.F.K. Drive at the eastern end of Golden Gate Park, call David Miles, 752-1967 to register, fee; spectators, free.

2 p.m. -- A Festival Salute to French Music, celebrating the Bicentennial of the French Revolution with the S. F. Opera Center Singers, Stern Grove Festival Orchestra and Paris Boys' Choir, Stern Grove, 19th Avenue and Sloat Blvd., free.

2 p.m. -- Lloyd Lake Tour, with the Friends of Recreation and Parks, meet at the Park Map in front of Lloyd Lake in Golden Gate Park, visit Portals of the Past, Rainbow Falls, Prayer Book Cross and other secrets of the Park, free.

MONDAY, JULY 17

10 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- "Watercolors of California Native Plants", exhibit at the Helen Crocker Russell Library, Strybing Arboretum, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park.

10:30 - 11:30 a.m. -- Arts and Crafts, ages 3 - 6 years, Mission Recreation Center, 745 Treat Avenue, free.

TUESDAY, JULY 18

10 a.m. -- Science Fiction Classics, showing today through Thursday at Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, $1.

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TUESDAY, JULY 18, cont.

6:30 - 9:30 p.m. -- Jolly Volley Follies, drop-in, co-ed volleyball, Upper Noe Valley Recreation Center, Day and Sanchez Streets, free.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 19

1 - 5 p.m. -- Musical Comedy Workshop, 13-19 years, Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, call 558-3601 for more information.

Noon - 1:30 p.m. -- Treasure Island Navy Band performs at Vaillancourt Fountain, Justin Herman Plaza, Market and Steuart Streets, free.

THURSDAY, JULY 21

11 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- City Celebration's Summer Festival of Performing Arts, featuring Yugoslavia, Russia and Ukraine with the Becari Tamburitza Orchestra, Ballet Russe and Neva Russian Dance Ensemble, Bandshell, Golden Gate Park, Free.

4:30 - 6 p.m. -- Jazz Dance for children and teens, Milton Meyer Recreation Center, 195 Kiska Road, call 558-3601 for more information.

FRIDAY, JULY 22

10:30 - 11:15 a.m. -- Easy Exercise Class for Seniors, Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street, near 37th Avenue, fee.

8 - 9 p.m. -- Belly Dancing, Intermediate through Professional, 10 weeks - $40; single class - $5, Sunset Recreation Center, 28th Avenue and Lawton Street, call 731-0897 for more information.

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SATURDAY, JULY 22

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Thrill to the Roar of the Big Cats at the Zoo, feeding time is 2 p.m., San Francisco Zoo, Sloat Blvd. at the Pacific Ocean, fee.

10 a.m. - 1 p.m. -- General Plant Sale at Strybing Arboretum Nursery, 9th Avenue at Lincoln Way.

10 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- Science Fiction Day, Activities, Films and much more, at Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, call 863-1399 for information.

11 a.m. -- Strawberry Hill Tour with the Friends of Recreation and Parks Guides, meet at the map between the Japanese Tea Garden and the deYoung Museum, tour Stow Lake, Strawberry Hill, Huntington Falls, Pioneer Log Cabin, Redwood Memorial Grove and the Rose Garden, free.

2 p.m. -- Tap Dance Class, 3-6 year olds, West Sunset, 39th Avenue and Ortega Street, call 661-8841 for information.

2 - 3:30 p.m. -- San Francisco Mime Troupe performs at Precita Park, Precita Avenue and Folsom Street, free.

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SUNDAY, JULY 23

10 a.m. -- Polo in the Park, 6th Annual San Francisco Festival of the Horse, an English Horse Show, Mini Grand Prix, Jumping, Polo and Driving Competition, $5 admission, Polo Field, Golden Gate Park, call 563-5650 for more information.

10 a.m. - 1 p.m. -- 3rd Annual AIDS Walk San Francisco, starting at the Music Concourse, Golden Gate Park, call 864-4376 for information.

2 p.m. -- Dance and Music of Africa, performances by Diamano Coura, Fua Dia Congo and Harambee Dance Ensemble, Stern Grove, 19th Avenue and Sloat Blvd., free.

2 - 3:30 p.m. -- San Francisco Mime Toupe performs at Washington Square Park, Filbert and Stockton Streets, free.

MONDAY, JULY 24

1:30 p.m. -- General Tour of the 70 Acre Strybing Arboretum and Botanical Gardens, meet at the Strybing Store, inside the Main Gate, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way.

4 - 5:30 p.m. -- Pre-Ballet class for 6-9 year olds, Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Building, 50 Scott Street, call 558-3601 for information.

TUESDAY, JULY 25

10 a.m. -- "Journey of the Natty Gann", showing today through Thursday at Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, $1.

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TUESDAY, JULY 25, cont.

3 - 3:15 p.m. -- First Baptist Dallas High School Choir and Orchestra perform in the Bandshell, Golden Gate Park, free.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 26

10 - 11:30 a.m. -- Folk Dancing for Ladies 18 and over, Harvey Milk Recreation Arts Building, 50 Scott Street.

1:30 - 3 p.m. -- Tiny Tots Program, 3-5 year olds, West Portal, Ulloa Street and Lenox Way, call 664-3535 for information.

THURSDAY, JULY 27

11 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- City Celebration's Summer Festival of Performing Arts, featuring Dance and Music from the Philippines, Japan and China, with Kulintang Arts, Rokushige Fujima Dance Studio and Lili Cai Chinese Dance Troupe, Bandshell, Golden Gate Park, Free.

1:15 - 4:30 p.m. -- Bingo at the Rosa Parks Senior Center, 1111 Buchanan Street, call 921-2424 for information.

FRIDAY, JULY 28

12:14 - 3 p.m. -- Duplicate Bridge for Seniors, Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton, near 37th Avenue, 50¢ for the afternoon, call 751-4926 for information.

2 - 3:30 p.m. -- Jazz Dance Class, children and teens, Alice Chalmers Playground, 670 Brunswick Street, call 586-2280 for information.

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SATURDAY, JULY 29

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Watch the Magellanic Penguins frolic in their 200 foot pool, at the San Francisco Zoo, Sloat Blvd. at the Pacific Ocean, admission fee.

10 p.m. -- Registration for Summer Classes at Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, call 863-1399 for information.

11 a.m. -- Strawberry Hill Tour with the Friends of Recreation and Parks Guides, meet at the map between the Japanese Tea Garden and the deYoung Museum, tour Stow Lake, Strawberry Hill, Huntington Falls, Pioneer Log Cabin, Redwood Memorial Grove and the Rose Garden, free.

11 a.m. - 2 p.m. -- Introduction to Tournament Croquet at Stern Grove, sponsored by the S. F. Croquet Club, 19th Avenue and Wawona Street, $15 fee, call 776-4104 for reservations.

1 - 3 p.m. -- Stamp Making, how to make rubber stamps with your own design, for ages 6+ years, at Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, $5, call 863-1399 for information.

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SUNDAY, JULY 30

Noon - 5 p.m. -- 9th Annual Comedy Celebration Day, featuring Michael Pritchard, Bob Sarlatte, Paula Poundstone and more, Polo Field, Golden Gate Park, call 641-7918 for more information.

2 p.m. -- San Francisco Ballet performs Highlights from their 1989 Season Repertoire, Stern Grove, 19th Avenue and Sloat Blvd., free.

2 p.m. -- Japanese Tea Garden Tour with the Friends of Recreation and Parks, meet inside the main Tea Garden Gate, Golden Gate Park, Admission fee.

MONDAY, JULY 31

10 - 11 a.m. -- Stories and Crafts, ages 4-5 year olds, Christopher Playground, 5210 Diamond Heights Blvd., call 285-2787 for more information.

7:30 - 9:30 p.m. -- Square Dancing for Adults, Eureka Valley Recreation Center, 18th St. and Collingwood, $3.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 1

10 a.m. -- "Lady and the Tramp", showing today through Thursday at Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, $1.

6:15 - 7:15 p.m. -- Body Pulse Aerobics, Mission Recreation Center, 2450 Harrison Street, 10 classes - $40; Single Class - $5.50.

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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 2

1 - 4 p.m. -- Senior Croquet Day, sponsored by the San Francisco Croquet Club, instruction free to people over 60 years old at the Stern Grove Croquet Lawns, 19th Avenue and Wawana St., call 776-4104 for reservations.

1:30 p.m. -- Plants and Symbolism in Asian Gardens, Tour by the Strybing Arboretum Society, meet at the Eugene Friend Gate at Strybing Arboretum, 9th Ave. and Lincoln Way.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 3

11 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- City Celebration's Summer Festival of Performing Arts, featuring Music and Dance from India and Eritrea, with Ali Akbar College Students, Kalanjali Dancers of India and the Eritrean Melody Band, Bandshell, Golden Gate Park, Free.

3:15 - 4:15 p.m. -- Ballroom Dance Class, Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton street near 37th Avenue.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 4

10 a.m. - Noon -- Kid's Gym, 9 - 36 months, Moscone Playground, Chestnut and Buchanan Streets, call 567-2811 for information.

12:30 p.m. -- Make A Circus Summer Festival, Sharon Meadows, near Children's Playground in Golden Gate Park, call 776-8477 for more information.

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SATURDAY, AUGUST 12

10 a.m. - 1 p.m. -- General Plant Sale, shade plants featured, Strybing Nursery, southwest corner of Strybing Arboretum, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park,

11 a.m. - 2 p.m. -- "Introduction to Tournament Croquet", sponsored by the S.F. Croquet Club at Stern Grove Croquet Lawn, 19th Avenue and Wawona, call 776-4104 for reservations, $15 fee.

11 a.m. -- Strawberry Hill Tour, with Friends of Recreation and Parks, meet at the Park Map between Japanese Tea Garden and DeYoung Museum, Golden Gate Park, free.

1 p.m. -- Guided Walking Tour of the Zoo, meet at the Koala Crossing inside San Francisco Zoo, Sloat Blvd. at the Pacific Ocean, admission fee.

1 p.m. -- "A Raku Afternoon", learn about Japanese Raku Art, at Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, free, call 863-1399 for information.

1:30 - 3:30 p.m. -- The New Shakespeare Company performs in Shakespeare Garden, at Middle and King Drives, Golden Gate Park, (Sunday's performance, 2 p.m. - 4 p.m.), free.

2 - 3:30 p.m. -- San Francisco Mime Troupe performs at Mission Dolores Park, 19th and Dolores Streets, free.

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SUNDAY, AUGUST 13

9 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Festival of the Chariots, Sharon Meadow, Golden Gate Park.

10 a.m. - 1 p.m. -- Shimada Symphony Band, performs in the Bandshell, Golden Gate Park, free.

1 p.m. -- Golden Gate Park Band, conducted by Robert Hansen, performs in the Bandshell, Golden Gate Park, free.

1 - 3 p.m. -- Team Rollerblade, a skating exhibition team will do team skating demonstrations at 6th Avenue and Kennedy Drive in Golden Gate Park.

2 - 3:30 p.m. -- San Francisco Mime Troupe performs at Glen Park, Bosworth St. and O'Shaughnessy Blvd., free.

2 p.m. -- "Gospel in the Grove", performance at Sigmund Stern Grove, 19th Avenue and Sloat Blvd., free.

MONDAY, AUGUST 14

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Take a Magical Journey on Golden Gate Park's Carrousel at Children's Playground, southeast corner of the Park Bowling Green Drive between King and Kennedy Drives, fee.

1 - 3 p.m. -- Round Dance Lessons for Seniors, Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street at 37th Avenue, fee

TUESDAY, AUGUST 15

10 a.m. -- Movie: "1001 Rabbit Tales", showing today through August 17, at Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, $1.

6:30 - 9:30 p.m. -- Jolly Volley Follies, drop-in, co-ed volleyball, Upper Noe Valley Recreation Center, Day and Sanchez Streets, free.

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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 16

10 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- Bowling on the Green, a 13th Century Sport, Bowling Green Drive, between Kennedy and King Drives, Golden Gate Park, call 681-1580 for reservations, fee.

3:30 - 4:30 p.m. -- Tennis Classes, beginning level, ages 7-12 years, Glen Park, Bosworth and O'Shaughnessy Blvd., free.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 17

11 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- City Celebration's Summer Festival of Performing Arts, featuring Music and Dance from Egypt, South Africa and Senegal, with Dancers of the Desert, Vukani Mawethu Choir and Ceedo Senegalese Dance Company, Bandshell, Golden Gate Park, Free.

12:30 p.m. -- Make-A-Circus Festival at Washington Square, Columbus Ave. and Union St., call 776-8477 for information.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 18

7 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Golden Gate Golf Course, 9 holes, all par 3, 47th Ave. and Fulton St. in Golden Gate Park, call 751-8987 for information.

9 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Horseback Riding Lessons available at Golden Gate Park Stables, Kennedy Dr. and 36th Ave., call 668-7360 for reservations, fee.

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SATURDAY, AUGUST 19

11 a.m. -- Free Strawberry Hill Tour, with Friends of Recreation and Parks, meet at the Park Map between Japanese Tea Garden and DeYoung Museum, Golden Gate Park, visit Stow Lake, Strawberry Hill, Huntington Falls, Pioneer Log Cabin, Redwood Memorial Grove and the Rose Garden.

1 p.m. and 2 p.m. -- Visit the Wildlife Theatre at the Zoo, featuring animal celebrities, birds of prey flight demonstration, reptiles encounters, etc., San Francisco Zoo, Sloat Blvd. at the Pacific Ocean, admission fee.

1 p.m. -- "Animals in Mexican Folk Art", at Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, free, call 863-1399 for information.

1:30 - 4 p.m. -- The New Shakespeare Company performs in Shakespeare Garden, at Middle and King Drives, Golden Gate Park, (Sunday's performance, 2 p.m. - 4 p.m.), free.

2 - 3:30 p.m. -- San Francisco Mime Troupe perform in the Panhandle, Oak and Stanyan Streets, eastern end of from Golden Gate Park, free.

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SUNDAY, AUGUST 20

1 p.m. -- Golden Gate Park Band, conducted by Robert Hansen, performs in the Bandshell, Golden Gate Park, celebrating the San Francisco Flower Show and St. Steven's Day, free.

2 p.m. -- "Jazz in the Grove", with the George Cables Trio and Tony Williams Quintet, at Sigmund Stern Grove, 19th Avenue and Sloat Blvd., free.

2 p.m. -- Lloyd Lake Tour of Golden Gate Park with Friends of Recreation and Parks, meet at the Park Map in front of Lloyd Lake, visit Portals of the Past, Rainbow Falls, Prayerbook Crossing and other secrets of the Park, free.

MONDAY, AUGUST 21

9:30 a.m. -- Sewing Class for Seniors, Rosa Parks Senior Center, 1111 Buchanan, call 292-2000 for information.

10 - 11 a.m. -- Stories and Crafts, 4-5 year olds, Christopher Playground, 5210 Diamond Heights Blvd., call 695-5000 for information.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 22

10 a.m. -- Movie: "Popeye", showing today through August 24, at Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, $1.

10:30 a.m. - Noon -- Kid's Gym, 1-3 year olds, Upper Noe Recreation Center, Day and Sanchez Streets, call 695-5011 for information.

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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 23

Noon - 1:30 p.m. -- 4th Annual KNBR 68 Bike Messenger 500, Justin Herman Plaza, Market and Steuart Streets, call 951-7000 for information.

12:30 p.m. -- Make-A-Circus Summer Festival, Glen Park Recreation Center, Bosworth and O'Shaughnessy Streets, call 776-8477 for information.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 24

11 a.m. - 3 p.m. -- Events West Windsurfing Demonstration, Justin Herman Plaza, Steuart and Market Streets, call 383-WEST for information.

11 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- City Celebration's Summer Festival of Performing Arts, featuring Music and Dance from Brazil and Peru with Chaskinakuy, Brazil Dance Revue, and Escola Nova De Samba, Bandshell, Golden Gate Park, Free.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 25

10 a.m. - 6 p.m. -- Plant Sale at the San Francisco Flower Show, Strybing Arboretum, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park.

8 p.m. -- "Bits and Pieces, Hooray for Hollywood", performed by the Young People's Musical Theatre Company, Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, Adults - $3; Children - $1, call 863-1399 for information.

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SATURDAY, AUGUST 26

8 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- Sunset-Parkside Summer Festival, West Sunset Playground, 39th Ave. & Ortega St., call 753-7047 for information.

10 a.m. - 6 p.m. -- Pakistani Independence Day Celebration, Union Square, Post and Stockton Streets, free.

11 a.m. - 2 p.m. -- "Introduction to Croquet" with the San Francisco Croquet Club, $15/person, advanced registration required, call 776-4104, Stern Grove, 19th Avenue and Wawona.

11 a.m. - 3 p.m. -- Free Folk Rock Concert at the Bandshell, Golden Gate Park.

Noon - 4 p.m. -- (Saturday & Sunday) San Francisco Shakespeare Festival Presents "Midsummer Night's Dream", Bunny Meadow, Golden Gate Park, call 777-3870 for information, free.

1 p.m. -- "Animal Folk Art from Around the World", at Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, $5, call 863-1399, advanced registration required.

8 p.m. -- "Bits and Pieces, Hooray for Hollywood", performed by the Young People's Musical Theatre Company, Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, Adults - $3; Children - $1, call 863-1399 for information.

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SUNDAY, AUGUST 27

8 a.m. -- BikeAbout at the Zoo, meet at the South Zoo Gate, Herbst Road and Skyline Blvd., fee $10, call 753-7080 for registration information.

10 a.m. - 6 p.m. -- San Francisco Flower Show, largest judged Flower Show in the West, General Plant Sale, S.F. County Fair Building, 9th Ave. at Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park, call 661-1316 for information.

1 p.m. -- Golden Gate Park Band, conducted by Robert Hansen, performs in the Bandshell, Golden Gate Park, free.

2 p.m. -- Japanese Tea Garden Tour with Friends of Recreation and Parks, meet inside main Tea Garden Gate, Golden Gate Park, free after admission is paid.

MONDAY, AUGUST 28

1 - 3 p.m. -- Round Dance Lessons for Seniors, Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street near 37th Avenue, call 666-7015 for information, 50¢ fee.

1:30 p.m. -- Tour of Strybing Arboretum and Botanical Gardens, meet at the Strybing Store inside the Main Gate, 9th Ave. and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park, call 661-0822 for information.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 29

10 a.m. -- Movie: "Return to Snowy River", showing today through August 24, at Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, $1.

12:30 p.m. -- Make-A-Circus Summer Festival Days, Visitacion Valley Playground, Cora and Leland Streets, call 337-4707 for information, free.

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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 30

1:30 p.m. -- Jazz Ballet Class, 7-12 year olds, Sunset Recreation Center, 28th Avenue and Lawton Street, call 753-7098 for information.

1:30 p.m. -- Tiny Tots Program, West Portal Playground, Ulloa Street and Lenox Way, call 753-7038 for information.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 31

11 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- City Celebration's Summer Festival of Performing Arts, featuring Music and Dance from Cuba and South America, with Charanga Tumbao y Cuerdas, Rafael Manrique and Raices Afro-Cubana's , Bandshell, Golden Gate Park, Free.

7 - 8 p.m. -- Belly Dancing Class for Adults, Beginner Level, Finger Cymbals, Solo Improvisation Exercises, Sunset Recreation Center, 28th Avenue and Lawton Streets, $40 - 10 weeks; $5 - Single Class, call 753-7089 for information.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

10 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- Art Exhibit: "Watercolors of California Native Plants", Helen Crocker Russell Library, Strybing Arboretum, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park.

6 - 7 p.m. -- Body Pulse Aerobics for Adults, Upper Noe Valley Recreation Center, Day and Sanchez Streets, $40 - 10 classes; $5.50 - single class, call 695-5011 for information.

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SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 2

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Randall Museum features a live animal room with petting corral, a working seismograph and other exhibits, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- (Saturday through Monday), Kitemaker's Second Annual West Coast Stunt Kite Competition, Marina Green, Marina Blvd. and Scott St.

11 a.m. -- Strawberry Hill Tour with Friends of Recreation and Parks, meet at the Park Map between Japanese Tea Garden and DeYoung Museum, tour includes Music Concourse area, Stow Lake, Huntington Falls, Pioneer Log Cabin, Redwood Memorial Grove and Strawberry Hill, Free.

12:30 p.m. -- Make-A-Circus Summer Festival Days, Moscone Park, Chestnut and Buchanan Streets.

1 p.m. -- Try your Hand at Currying a Horse or Grooming a Goat at the Children's Zoo, inside the San Francisco Zoo, Sloat Blvd. at the Pacific Ocean, fee.

2 p.m. -- San Francisco Mime Troupe performs at Sunken Meadow, behind the Asian Art Museum, in Golden Gate Park, Free.

11 a.m. - 6 p.m. -- Ala Carte Ala Park, a gourmet event in Sharon Meadow, Golden Gate Park, call 383-WEST for information.

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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 3

11 a.m. -- East End Tour of Golden Gate Park with with Friends of Recreation and Parks, meet in front of McLaren Lodge, Golden Gate Park, tour includes De La Veaga Dell, Horseshoe Courts, Fuschia Garden, Rhododendron Dell, Conservatory Valley, Fern Dell, Music Concourse Area and Children's Playground, free.

1 p.m. -- Golden Gate Park Band, conducted by Robert Hansen, performs in the Bandshell, Golden Gate Park, free.

1:30 p.m. -- San Francisco Shakespeare Festival Presents "Midsummer Night's Dream", Bunny Meadow, behind the Conservatory of Flowers, Golden Gate Park, call 777-3870 for information, free.

2 p.m. -- West End Tour of Golden Gate Park with with Friends of Recreation and Parks, meet at the Park Map at Spreckles Lake near 36th Avenue, tour Park Stables, Anglers Lodge, Reforestation Efforts, Restored Windmill and Buffalo Paddock, Free.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 4

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Horseshoe Pitching in the Park, courts located off Conservatory Drive in Golden Gate Park, bring your own horseshoes, free.

4 - 5 :30 p.m. -- Theatre Games, 7-12 year olds, Group Dramatization achieved through Creative Role Playing, Improvisation and Pantomime, Merced Heights Playground, Byxbee and Shields Streets, call 337-4718 for information.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5

9 a.m. - 6:30 p.m. -- Spend a tranquil moment in the Japanese Tea Garden, a rural style tea garden in Golden Gate Park, fee.

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TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5

10:30 - 11:30 a.m. -- Senior Exercise Class, Rosa Parks Senior Center, 1111 Buchanan, call 292-2000 for information.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6

1 - 4 p.m. -- "Senior Croquet" with the San Francisco Croquet Club, call 776-4104 for reservations, Stern Grove, 19th Avenue and Wawona.

6 - 7 p.m. -- Body Pulse Aerobics, Upper Noe Recreation Center, Day and Sanchez Streets, 10 classes - $40, Single Class - $5.50, call 695-5011 for information.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 7

11 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- City Celebration's Summer Festival of Performing Arts, featuring Music and Dance from Mexico and Central America, with Mariachi Jaliciense, Jose-Luis Orozco and Grupo Aztlan of San Francisco, Bandshell, Golden Gate Park, Free.

6 - 7 p.m. -- 7th Annual Apple Fest at Strybing Arboretum, featuring a band, clown, storyteller and apples! Call 661-1316 for information, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way in Golden Gate Park, $5 fee.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

Noon - 1:30 p.m. -- 17th Annual Blues Festival Kick-off Concert, Vaillancourt Fountain, Justin Herman Plaza, Market and Steuart Streets, free.

7 - 9:30 p.m. -- Ballroom Dancing for Seniors, Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street near 37th Avenue, $1 donation.

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SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 9

11 a.m. -- Strawberry Hill Tour with Friends of Recreation and Parks, meet at the Park Map between Japanese Tea Garden and DeYoung Museum, tour includes Music Concourse area, Stow Lake, Huntington Falls, Pioneer Log Cabin, Redwood Memorial Grove and Strawberry Hill, Golden Gate Park, Free.

11 a.m. - 2 p.m. -- Introduction to Tournament Croquet with the San Francisco Croquet Club at the Stern Grove Croquet Lawns, 19th Ave. and Wawona, call 776-4104 for registration, fee.

1 p.m. -- "Herb Magic", an introductory course on useful herbs, unique and healthful teas, and herbal gifts, Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, $2.

1:30 p.m. -- Guided Theme walk of Perennials led by Strybing Docents, meet at Strybing Arboretum Store, 9th Ave. and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park.

2 - 4 p.m. -- The Z Collective performs "Almost by Chance a Woman: Elizabeth", at McLaren Park Amphitheatre, Mansell and University, (Saturday and Sunday), free, call 863-4793 for information.

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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

8 a.m. -- "WalkAbout" with Animal Keeper Norman Gershenz, learn about the Zoo's Cats, San Francisco Zoo, Sloat Blvd. at Pacific Ocean, members $5; non-members $10, call 753-7080 for reservations.

11 a.m. -- Old fashioned buggy rides in Golden Gate Park, tours leave from the Music Concourse area, call 761-8272 for information, fee.

1 p.m. -- Golden Gate Park Band, conducted by Robert Hansen, performs in the Bandshell, Golden Gate Park, free.

1:30 p.m. -- San Francisco Shakespeare Festival Presents "Midsummer Night's Dream", Bunny Meadow, behind the Conservatory of Flowers, Golden Gate Park, call 777-3870 for information, free.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 11

3 - 4:30 p.m. -- Jazz Dance, ages 6-12 years, basic steps and routines in jazz, Midtown Terrace Playground, Clarendon Drive and Olympia Way, call 753-7036 for information.

8 - 9 p.m. -- "Botany for Beginners", 3 Monday classes sponsored by the Strybing Arboretum Society, 9th Ave. and Lincoln Way in Golden Gate Park, Members $20; Non-members $25, call 661-1316 to register.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12

Noon - 3:30 p.m. -- Play Canasta at the Golden Gate Senior Center, 6101 Fulton St., near 37th Ave., call 666-7015 for information.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, cont.

4 - 5 :30 p.m. -- Theatre Games, 7-12 year olds, Group Dramatization achieved through Creative Role Playing, Improvisation and Pantomime, Merced Heights Playground, Byxbee and Shields Sts., call 337-4718 for information.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13

11 a.m. - Noon -- Storytelling workshop, learn to thrill your listeners with renowned storyteller Alice Clemens, Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Building, 50 Scott Street, free.

1:30 p.m. -- "Plants and Symbolism in Japanese Art and Culture", tour of the Asian Art Museum with Strybing Docents, meet at Gruhn Gate, Asian Art Museum, Golden Gate Park, admission fee.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14

9:30 a.m. - 2 p.m. -- Bay to Breakfast Senior Walk, commencing at the Bandshell, Golden Gate Park, call 381-1954 for information.

10 - 11:30 a.m. -- Tap-Ballet Class, ages 3 - 8 years, basic steps in Tap-Ballet, Potrero Hill Playground, 22nd and Arkansas Sts., call 695-5009 for information.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

2:30 p.m. -- Tea Tour of the Harvest Moon at the Zoo, Chat with an Animal Keeper, visit Special Animals, have Tea and Crumpets at the Zoo Terrace Cafe, Members $5, Non-members $10, San Francisco Zoo, Sloat Blvd. at Pacific Ocean, call 753-7080 for reservations.

8:30 - 9:30 p.m. -- Rhythm and Motion, a Unique Aerobic Dance Exercise, Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Bldg., 50 Scott St., call 554-9523 for information.

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SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

10 a.m. - Noon -- "Growing Plants in the Shade" lecture at Strybing Arboretum, 9th Ave. and Lincoln Way in Golden Gate Park, Members of Strybing Arboretum Society $6.50, non-members, $8, call 661-1316 for reservations.

10:15 a.m. -- Golden Gate Horseshoe Club Tournament at the Horseshoe Pitching Court, Conservatory Drive East, eastern end of Golden Gate Park, call 726-5859 for information.

10:15 a.m. -- "Secrets of Spiders", with storyteller Ahwele Makeba at the Helen Crocker Russell Library, Strybing Arboretum, 9th Ave. and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park, $2.50, call 661-0668 for reservations.

1 p.m. -- Earth Watch presents "Moth Defense Mechanisms", slide show and lecture at Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, call 863-1399 for more information, $2.

2 - 4 p.m. -- World Drum Fest, featuring women drummers, held in the Bandshell, Golden Gate Park, free.

2 - 6:30 p.m. -- Croquet Tournament, Design Industry Foundation for Aids Fundraiser, Marina Green, Marina Blvd. & Scott St., call 863-3372 for information.

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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

8 - 10 a.m. -- 7th Annual Hoy's Sports 10,000 Meter Classic in Golden Gate Park, starting at JFK & Stow Lake Drives, call 861-4697 for registration information.

11 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Annual San Francisco Mounted Posse Horse Show, Bercut Field, Golden Gate Park, call 634-5933 for information.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Visit the Doelger Primate Discovery Center at the San Francisco Zoo, one of the most innovative zoo exhibits ever built, displaying 16 species of rare and endangered monkeys and prosimians in naturalistic settings, San Francisco Zoo, Sloat Blvd. at Pacific Ocean, fee, call 753-7080 for information.

2 - 4 p.m. -- The New Shakespeare Company performs "Twelfth Night" at Sunken Meadow, behind the deYoung Museum in Golden Gate Park, call 668-7633 for information, free.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

1 - 3 p.m. -- Round Dance Classes for Seniors, Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street at 37th Ave., call 666-7015 for information, fee.

7:30 - 9 p.m. -- Furby's Muscle Tune Class for Adults, Sing and Swing as you Tune and Tone at the Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Building, 50 Scott St., 6 classes $50; single class $10, call 554-9523 for information.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

10:30 - 11:30 a.m. -- Senior Exercise Class at Rosa Parks Senior Center, 1111 Buchanan Street, call 292-2000 for information.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, cont.

4:45 - 6 p.m. -- Ballet Class, ages 8-14 years, Cayuga Playground, Cayuga and Naglee Streets, call 337-4714 for information.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

10 - 11:30 a.m. -- Folk Dancing for Ladies, 18+ years, learn basic steps, rhythms and dance of other countries, Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Building, 50 Scott St., call 554-9523 for information.

11 a.m. - Noon -- Storytelling workshop, learn to thrill your listeners with renowned storyteller Alice Clemens, Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Building, 50 Scott Street, free.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

Noon - 1:30 p.m. -- Treasure Island Navy Band performs at Justin Herman Plaza, Market and Steuart Streets, free.

7 - 9 p.m. -- Belly Dancing Classes for Adults, beginners, 7 - 8 p.m., Intermediates, 8 - 9 p.m., Sunset Recreation Center, 28th Ave. and Lawton St., 10 weeks $40, single class $5, call 753-7098 for information.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Take a Magical Ride on Golden Gate Park's beloved Carrousel, Children's Playground, southeast corner of the Park, across from Kezar Pavilion, fee.

4 - 5 :30 p.m. -- Theatre Games, 7-12 year olds, Group Dramatization achieved through Creative Role Playing, Improvisation and Pantomime, Potrero Hill Recreation Center, 22nd and Arkansas Sts., call 695-5009 for information.

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SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 23

10 a.m. -- Registration for Randall Museum's Fall Classes, including dollhouse workshop, astronomy, art, woodwork, maskmaking, etc., register by lottery, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, call 863-1399 for more information.

10 a.m. - Noon -- "Non-Thirsty Native Plants for Gardens", lecture with Strybing Arboretum Society, 9th Ave. and Lincoln Way, call 661-1316 to register, $8 fee.

10 - 10:45 a.m. -- Stretching Exercise Class for Seniors, Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton St., near 37th Ave., call 666-7015 for information, fee 50¢.

11 a.m. - 2 p.m. -- Introduction to Tournament Croquet, Stern Grove Croquet Lawns, 19th Ave. and Wawona St., call S.F. Croquet Club, 776-4104 for reservations, fee $15.

11 a.m. -- Strawberry Hill Tour with Friends of Recreation and Parks, meet at the Park Map between Japanese Tea Garden and DeYoung Museum, tour includes Music Concourse area, Stow Lake, Huntington Falls, Pioneer Log Cabin, Redwood Memorial Grove and Strawberry Hill, Golden Gate Park, Free.

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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

7 a.m. - 3 p.m. -- Farallon Islands Fall Trip with the San Francisco Zoo Society, join Zoo Society Naturalists to see the rich diversity of marine life near the Farallones. Call 753-7080 for reservations, fee $45.

Noon - 4 p.m. -- Square Dancing for Fun, Adults, Sunset Recreation Center, 28th Ave. and Lawton St., call 753-7098 for information, fee $3.

2 p.m. -- Japanese Tea Garden Tour with Friends of Recreation and Parks, meet inside the main Tea Garden gate after admission is paid, free tour features the history and design of the Japanese Tea Garden.

2 - 4 p.m. -- The New Shakespeare Company performs "Twelfth Night" at Sunken Meadow, behind the deYoung Museum in Golden Gate Park, call 668-7633 for information, free.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25

6:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. -- Boating and Fishing at Lake Merced, #1 Harding Road, Skyline Blvd. at Great Highway, call 753-1101 for information.

6 - 7 p.m. -- Dancerobix - a total Aerobic Exercise program choreographed to music, Sunset Recreation Center, 28th Ave. and Lawton St., 10 classes $35, single class $5, Call 753-7098 for information.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

10 a.m. - Noon -- "Ivy Topiaries for Home and Garden", lecture with Strybing Arboretum Society, 9th Ave. and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park, call 661-1316 to register, fee $8.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, cont.

Noon - 4:30 p.m. -- Bid Whist for Seniors at Rosa Parks Senior Center, 1111 Buchanan St., call 292-2000 for information.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Sail your model yachts on Spreckels Lake opposite 36th Ave. in Golden Gate Park, both wind and motor powered models are welcome, free.

11 a.m. - Noon -- Storytelling workshop, learn to thrill your listeners with renowned storyteller Alice Clemens, Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Building, 50 Scott St., free.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 28

3:30 - 5 p.m. -- Drama Workshop, ages 7-12 years, Skits, Monologues, etc., Hamilton Recreation Center, Geary and Steiner Sts., call 292-2008 for information.

7:30 - 9 p.m. -- "How to Get Uncommon Plants" lecture with Strybing Arboretum Society, 9th Ave. and Lincoln Way, call 661-1316 to register, $8 fee.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

9 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Horseback Riding Lessons available at Golden Gate Park Stables, Kennedy Dr. and 36th Ave. in Golden Gate Park, call 668-7360 for information, fee.

4 - 5:30 p.m. -- Jazz Ballet Class, ages 7-12 years, introduction to jazz using ballet techniques with emphasis on memorizing combinations and routines, Eureka Valley Recreation Center, 19th and Collingwood Sts., call 554-9528 for information.

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(September 30 - October 6)

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 30

9 a.m. - 6 p.m. -- The Conservatory of Flowers features an impressive collection of plants from around the world, eastern end of JFK Drive, Golden Gate Park, fee.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. (Saturday and Sunday) -- World Fest, 1989, an International Celebration, Sharon Meadow, Kezar and JFK Drives, Golden Gate Park, call 863-3981 for information, free.

10 a.m. - Noon -- "Color in the Winter Garden", Class with Strybing Arboretum Society, San Francisco County Fair Building, 9th Ave. and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park, call 661-1316 to register, $8 fee.

11 a.m. -- Strawberry Hill Tour with Friends of Recreation and Parks, meet at the Park Map between Japanese Tea Garden and DeYoung Museum, tour includes Music Concourse area, Stow Lake, Huntington Falls, Pioneer Log Cabin, Redwood Memorial Grove and Strawberry Hill, Golden Gate Park, Free.

11 a.m. -- Meditation for Seniors, Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton St., near 37th Ave., 50¢ fee, call 666-7015 for information.

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SUNDAY, OCTOBER 1

8 a.m. - "Fall BikeAbout at the San Francisco Zoo, Bring the family out for an early morning bike tour, and watch the Zoo wake up, Sloat Blvd. at Pacific Ocean, call 753-7080 for reservations.

1:30 p.m. -- The San Francisco Shakespeare Company performs "Midsummer Night's Dream", West of the Conservatory of Flowers, Golden Gate Park, call 221-0642 for more information, free.

2 p.m. -- West End Tour with Friends of Recreation and Parks, meet at the Park Map at Spreckels Lake, 36th Avenue in Golden Gate Park, tour features Park Stables, Angler's Lodge, reforestation efforts, restored Windmill and Buffalo Paddock.

2 - 4 p.m. -- The New Shakespeare Company performs "Twelfth Night" at Sunken Meadow, behind the deYoung Museum in Golden Gate Park, call 668-7633 for information, free.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 2

4 - 5:30 p.m. -- Theatre Games, 7-12 year olds, creative role playing, improvisation and pantomime, Merced Heights Playground, Byxbee and Shields Sts., call 337-4718 for information.

9:30 a.m. - 3 p.m. -- Sewing Class for Seniors, Rosa Parks Senior Center, 1111 Buchanan St., call 292-2000 for information.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 3

10 a.m. - Noon -- "Growing Orchids in the Bay Area", Tuesday Talk with the Strybing Arboretum Society, 9th Ave. and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park, call 661-1316 to register, fee $8.

3 - 4:30 p.m. -- Tap Ballet, 3-5 year olds - 3 - 3:30 p.m., 6-12 year olds - 3:30 - 4:30 p.m., Moscone Recreation Center, Chestnut and Buchanan Sts., call 292-2006 for information.

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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 4

11 a.m. - Noon -- Storytelling workshop, learn to thrill your listeners with renowned storyteller Alice Clemens, Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Building, 50 Scott St., free.

1 - 4 p.m. -- Senior Croquet Day at the Stern Grove Croquet Lawns, 19th Ave. and Wawona St., call the S. F. Croquet Club, 776-4104 for reservations, free for persons 60+ years.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 5

10 - 11:30 a.m. -- Golden Gate Chorus, for Seniors, Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton St., near 37th Avenue, call 666-7015 for information.

7 p.m. -- Traffic Management in Golden Gate Park Community Meeting, San Francisco County Fair Building, 9th Ave. and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park, Community input is welcome.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 6

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Conservation Connection - A Four Day Conservation Fair at the San Francisco Zoo, Enjoy Entertainment, Music and Classes while you learn what you can do to save endangered species and environments, Sloat Blvd. at the Pacific Ocean, call 753-7080 for information.

6 - 7 p.m. -- Body Pulse Aerobics, Adults, Total Aerobic Exercise Program Choreographed to Music, Upper Noe Valley Recreation Center, Day and Sanchez Sts., 10 classes - $40; Single Class - $5.50, call 695-5011 for information.

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(October 7 - October 13)

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 7

10 a.m. -- Tour of San Francisco's Other Parks, (not Golden Gate Park), with Friends of Recreation and Parks, Visit some of the City's oldest and most interesting Parks and Recreation Centers, Meet at McLaren Lodge, Golden Gate Park, $15 fee includes box lunch and beverage, call 221-1310 for reservations.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Conservation Connection - (Today through Oct. 9th), A Conservation Fair at the San Francisco Zoo, Enjoy Entertainment, Music, and Classes while you learn what you can do to save endangered species and environments, Sloat Blvd. at the Pacific Ocean, call 753-7080 for information, Adults $5; Children and Seniors $2; children under 6 with adult, free.

10 a.m. -- Learn to Tie Dye at Randall Museum, and personalize your wardrobe or make special gifts, ages 4+ years, (under 6 years must be accompanied by an adult), $1 fee, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way, on Corona Heights, call 863-1399 for information.

11 a.m. -- Strawberry Hill Tour with Friends of Recreation and Parks, meet at the Park Map between Japanese Tea Garden and DeYoung Museum, tour includes Music Concourse Area, Stow Lake, Huntington Falls, Pioneer Log Cabin, Redwood Memorial Grove and Strawberry Hill, Golden Gate Park, Free.

11 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- Jazz Rock Fusion Outdoor Concert, Bandshell, Golden Gate Park, free, call 387-4132 for information.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 8

10 a.m. -- Bicycle Tour of Golden Gate Park with the Friends of Recreation and Parks, meet with your bikes, at the Conservatory of Flowers, on Kennedy Drive, call 221-1310 for information, free.

11 a.m. -- East End Tour with Friends of Recreation and Parks, meet in front of McLaren Lodge at Fell and Stanyan Streets, Golden Gate Park, tour includes De La Veaga Dell, the Horseshoe Courts, the Fuchsia Garden, Rhododendron Dell, Conservatory Valley, Fern Dell, Music Concourse and Children's Playground.

1 p.m. -- Columbus Day Parade, Reviewing stand on the North Side of Washington Square Park, Filbert and Stockton Sts., call 467-8218 for information.

1 p.m. -- Celebrate German American Day with the Golden Gate Park Band and the United German Societies, Bandshell, Music Concourse Area, Golden Gate Park, free.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 9

10 a.m. - 6 p.m. -- Visit Coit Tower, enjoy a panoramic view of the City and murals depicting social details and scenes from the 1930's, Lombard near Kearny Streets, fee.

Noon - 5 p.m. -- Celebrate John Lennon's Birthday with a concert in the Bandshell, Music Concourse Area, Golden Gate Park, call 488-9748 for information, free.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 10

10:30 - 11:30 a.m. -- Kid's Gym, 2-5 year olds, Mission Recreation Center, 745 Treat St., call 695-5014 for information.

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TUESDAY, OCTOBER 10, cont.

6:15 - 7:15 p.m. -- Body Pulse Aerobics, total aerobic program choreographed to music, Mission Recreation Center, 2450 Harrison St., 10 classes - $40; single class - $5.50, call 695-5012 for information.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 11

11 a.m. - Noon -- Storytelling workshop, learn to thrill your listeners with renowned storyteller Alice Clemens, Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Building, 50 Scott St., free.

1 - 3 p.m. -- Cattail Creations, Make a Basket, Biscuits and other Byproducts with the Strybing Arboretum Society, Wednesdays, Oct. 11, 18 & 25, San Francisco County Fair Building, 9th Ave. and Lincoln Way, $30 fee, call 661-1316 for information.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 12

12:30 - 2:30 p.m. -- Ceramics Class for Seniors, Golden Gate Senior Center, 6101 Fulton St., near 37th Ave., call 666-7015 for information, fee.

3:30 - 5 p.m. -- Drama Workshop, 7-12 year olds, including skits, monologues, etc., Hamilton Recreation Center, Geary and Steiner Sts., call 292-2008 for information.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 13

8:30 a.m. - 6 p.m. -- Tour the Public Gardens of East Bay with the Strybing Arboretum Society, $45 fee, call 661-1316 for information.

10 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- Enjoy Lawn Bowling, a Medieval Sport on Bowling Green Dr. between King and Kennedy Drives, Golden Gate Park, call 681-1580 for information, fee.

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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 14

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- "When the Rainbow Touches Down", exhibition of American Indian Art, California Academy of Sciences, Music Concourse Area of Golden Gate Park, fee.

10 a.m. - 6 p.m. -- (Saturday and Sunday) Psychic Fair in Golden Gate Park, Party with Spirits and Mingle your Auras, Music Concourse Area, call 459-3551 for information.

10 a.m. -- Jewelry Junket at Randall Museum, create unique personal jewelry with wire, metal, keys, buttons, beads and coins, 4 year olds and up, (under 6 years must be accompanied by an adult), $1 fee, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way, on Corona Heights, call 863-1399 for information.

10 a.m. - Noon -- "Beneficial Insects for Garden Pest Control", lecture sponsored by the Strybing Arboretum Society, San Francisco County Fair Building, 9th Ave. and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park, $8 fee, call 661-1316 for information.

12:30 - 4 p.m. -- Bird Illustration Workshop at the San Francisco Zoo, featuring hawks, owls and other live models at the Zoo, Sloat Blvd. at Pacific Ocean, $55 fee, call 753-7073 for reservations.

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SUNDAY, OCTOBER 15

8:30 a.m. -- Gay Run '89, a 5K and 10K loop in Golden Gate Park, starting at the Polo Field's South Parking Lot, Middle Drive near 36th Ave., call 456-6865 for information.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Pet Prevent-A-Care Clinic, Marina Green Parking Lot, Marina Blvd. at Scott St., call (707) 584-8222 for information.

11 a.m. -- Women's Rights March, sponsored by the National Organization for Women, meet at Justin Herman Plaza, Steuart and Market Streets.

Noon - 3 p.m. -- Walk in the Rose Garden with consulting Rosarians, sponsored by the Golden Gate Rose Society, Rose Garden, JFK Dr. near Park Presidio Blvd., Golden Gate Park, free.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 16

Noon - 1 p.m. -- Lap Swimming at Balboa Pool, San Jose and Havelock St., call 337-4701 for information, fee.

2:30 - 6:30 p.m. -- Latch Key Program Sign Up, West Portal Playground, Ulloa St. and Lenox Way, after school care for 6-12 year olds, $10 per child per month, $8 each additional child, call Director Laura Plas at 753-7038 for further information.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 17

7 - 10 p.m. -- Acting Class for Adults, Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Building, 50 Scott St., call 554-9523 for information.

7 - 10 p.m. -- Lapidary Classes with Galileo Gem Guild, Randall Museum, $15 registration, $5 lab fee, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, call 873-1186 for information.

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TUESDAY, OCTOBER 17

7:30 p.m. -- Ballroom Dance Class, six Tuesdays, Harvey Milk Recreation Arts Building, 50 Scott St., $20 fee, call Ed and Alice Lahl at 731-0746 for more information.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 18

1 - 4 p.m. -- Senior Croquet Day at Stern Grove Croquet Lawns, sponsored by the San Francisco Croquet Club, free for people 60+ years old, 19th Ave. and Wawona, call 776-4104 for reservations.

7 - 9 p.m. -- "Natural History of Birds of Prey", including hawks, eagles, owls and vultures, at the San Francisco Zoo, Sloat Blvd. at Pacific Ocean, $40 fee, call 753-7073 for reservations.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 19

10 a.m. - 2 p.m. -- Senior Citizens Club's 6th Annual Christmas Boutique, Mission Playground Clubhouse, 19th and Linda Streets. Call 695-5008 for information.

7:30 - 9 p.m. -- "El Dia Los Muertos", lecture by Dr. Carlos Cordova on Flowers Used in Mexico's Rituals on the Day of the Dead, sponsored by the Strybing Arboretum Society, San Francisco County Fair Building, 9th Ave. and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park, $8, call 661-1316 for information.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 20

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- You'll be right on target at the Archery Range in Golden Gate Park, near 47th and Fulton Sts., bring your own bow, arrows and targets, haybales are provided, free.

9 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Horseback Riding Lessons available at Golden Gate Park Stables, Kennedy Drive and 36th Ave. in Golden Gate Park, call 668-7360 for information.

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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 21

8 a.m. (Sat. and Sun.) -- Women's Sports Festival, '89, events will occur at various locations in Golden Gate Park, with display booths, souvenirs and seminars in Marx Meadow, JFK Drive, call 896-1530 for information.

10:15 a.m. - Noon -- "Mysteries of the Underworld", stories include Middle Eastern Goddess, Inanna; Greek Psyche; Northern European Root Children; Garden Activities relating to the Underworld include Bulb Planting and Composting, sponsored by the Strybing Arboretum Society, San Francisco County Fair Building, 9th Ave. and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park, $2.50 fee, call 661-1316 for information.

11 a.m. -- Picnic and Planting of Sherwood Forest, honoring Don Sherwood at McLaren Park, Mansell and University, call 598-0311 for information.

1 p.m. -- "Medicine Wheel", create a colorful wheel symbolic of things important to you at Randall Museum, Bring small objects, shells, feathers, colorful fabrics to make your own wheel based on traditional American Indian art form, $2 fee, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, call 863-1399 for information.

1 - 4 p.m. -- Amnesty International U.S.A. Rally at Justin Herman Plaza, Market and Steuart Streets, call (213) 388-1237 for further information.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 22

11 a.m. -- East End Tour with Friends of Recreation and Parks, meet in front of McLaren Lodge at Fell and Stanyan Streets, Golden Gate Park, tour includes De La Veaga Dell, the Horseshoe Courts, the Fuschia Garden, Rhododendron Dell, Conservatory Valley, Fern Dell, Music Concourse, and Children's Playground.

Noon - 3 p.m. -- Beach Chalet Open House and Tour, 1000 Great Highway between Fulton St. and Lincoln Way in Golden Gate Park, $5 donation, call 221-1310 or 567-8067 for more information.

1 p.m. -- Robert Hansen and the Golden Gate Park Band play old favorites at the Bandshell, Golden Gate Park.

2 p.m. -- Japanese Tea Garden Tour with Friends of Recreation and Parks, meet inside the main Tea Garden gate after admission is paid, Golden Gate Park.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 23

Noon - 1:30 p.m. -- Lap Swimming at Coffman Pool, Visitacion and Hahn Streets, fee.

7:30 - 9:30 p.m. -- Square Dancing for Adults, Western Star Style, at Eureka Valley Recreation Center, 18th and Collingwood Sts., $3 fee, call 554-9528.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 24

8:30 a.m. -- "Big Trees and Fall Colors of Marin County" Tour with members of the Strybing Arboretum Society, call 661-1316 for reservations, fee $47.

7 - 10 p.m. -- Acting Class for Adults, Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Building, 50 Scott St., call 554-9523 for information.

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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 25

11 a.m. - Noon -- Storytelling Workshop, learn to thrill your listeners with renowned storyteller Alice Clemens, Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Building, 50 Scott Street, free.

4 - 5:30 p.m. -- Theatre Games for 7-12 year olds, Group Dramatization achieved through Creative Role Playing, Improvisation and Pantomime, Mission Recreation Center, 2450 Harrison Street, call 695-5014 for information.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26

10 - 11:30 a.m. -- Golden Gate Chorus for Seniors, Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street near 37th Ave., 50¢ fee, call 666-7015 for information.

8 p.m. -- Wildlife Conservation Lecture with Robert Pyle, "Monarch Butterflies of Mexico", sponsored by the San Francisco Zoological Society, California Academy of Sciences, Band Concourse Area, Golden Gate Park, call 753-7080 for information, $5 fee.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 27

6:30 - 9 p.m. -- Haunted House at Mission Recreation Center, 2450 Harrison Street, $1 for 13+ years, 50¢ for under 12 years, call 695-5012 for information.

8 p.m. -- "Little Shop of Horrors" performed by the Young People's Musical Theatre Company, at Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, $5 adults; $2 children, call 863-1399 for information.

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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28

8 a.m. -- "Japanese Tea Garden Tour" with Strybing Arboretum Society, Tour includes Hillsborough, San Mateo, Menlo Park, $46 fee, call 661-1316 for reservations.

10 a.m. - 1 p.m. -- California Native Plant Sale, San Francisco County Fair Building, Main Garden Entrance, 9th Ave. and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park.

10 a.m. - Noon -- "Soil Basics, Ground Rules for Good Gardening", class with Strybing Arboretum Society, San Francisco County Fair Building, 9th Ave. and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park, $8 fee, call 661-1316 for information.

11 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- Howlin' Halloween Party at Randall Museum, Learn to make Costumes and Masks, Entertainment, Tunnel of Love, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, free.

2 p.m. and 8 p.m. -- "Little Shop of Horrors" performed by the Young People's Musical Theatre Company at Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way, on Corona Heights, tickets: $5 adults; $2 children.

6:30 - 9 p.m. -- Visit your favorite Horrors at the Haunted House at Mission Recreation Center, 2450 Harrison St., $1 for 13+ years, 50¢ for 12 years and under, call 695-5012 for information.

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SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29

11 a.m. -- East End Tour with Friends of Recreation and Parks, meet in front of McLaren Lodge at Fell and Stanyan Streets, Golden Gate Park, tour includes De La Veaga Dell, the Horseshoe Courts, the Fuschia Garden, Rhododendron Dell, Conservatory Valley, Fern Dell, Music Concourse, and Children's Playground.

Noon - 3 p.m. -- Beach Chalet Open House and Tour, 1000 Great Highway between Fulton St. and Lincoln Way in Golden Gate Park, $5 donation, call 221-1310 or 567-8067 for more information.

1 p.m. -- Robert Hansen and the Golden Gate Park Band play old favorites at the Bandshell, Music Concourse Area, Golden Gate Park.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 30

9:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. -- "Garden Design Workshop", three day workshop, Oct 30 - Nov. 1, for experienced students, sponsored by the Strybing Arboretum Society, S. F. County Fair Building, 9th Ave. and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park, $450 fee, call 661-1316 for information.

6 - 7 p.m. -- Dancerobix - a total exercise program choreographed to music, 10 classes $35, single class $5, Sunset Recreation Center, 28th & Lawton Streets, call 753-7098 for information.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 31

5 - 10 p.m. -- Visit the Haunted House on Noe Street! Upper Noe Recreation Center has transformed itself ghoulishly for your enjoyment, Day and Sanchez Streets, Call 695-5011 for information.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 31, cont.

7 p.m. -- "Little Shop of Horrors" performed by the Young People's Musical Theatre Company at Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way, on Corona Heights, tickets: $5 adults; $2 children.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 1

10:30 a.m. -- Singing Class for Seniors, Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton St., near 37th Ave., call 666-7015 for information, fee.

11 a.m. - Noon -- Storytelling Workshop, learn to thrill your listeners with renowned storyteller Alice Clemens, Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Building, 50 Scott Street, free.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2

Noon - 1:30 p.m. -- "Youth in Jazz Day", live music at Justin Herman Plaza, Market & Steuart Sts., call 864-5449 for information.

7 - 8:30 p.m. -- Celebrate with your Ancestors on the "Dia de los Muertos", Candlelight Procession starts at Mission Cultural Center, and ends at Potrero Del Sol Park, 25th and Potrero Sts., where there will be a Community Alter and Ritual Dances, call 826-8009 for information.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3

9 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Improve your Equestrian Skills at the Golden Gate Park Riding Stable, Kennedy Dr. & 36th Ave. in Golden Gate Park, call 668-7360 for information.

Noon - 1:30 p.m. -- Lap Swimming at Coffman Pool, Visitacion and Hahn Streets.

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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18

10 a.m. -- Here's your chance to become a Zoo Docent at the San Francisco Zoo, Teach Summer School, Lead Zoo Tours, Travel with the Zoomobile, Orientation Meeting at the San Francisco Zoo, Sloat Blvd. at the Pacific Ocean, call 753-7073 for details.

10 a.m. - 3 p.m. -- "Felting for Fathers, Children and Friends" at Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, call 554-9600 for information.

10:15 a.m. -- "Natural Magic and Music", storytelling with the Strybing Arboretum Society at the San Francisco County Fair Building, 9th Ave. and Lincoln Way in Golden Gate Park, fee $2.50, call 661-1316 for information.

Noon - 3 p.m. -- Christian Music Concert/Celebration at Union Square Garage, Powell and Sutter Streets, free.

5 p.m. -- "Take Back The Night" Women's Rally and March starting at Civic Center, Polk and McAllister, and ending at Union Square, Powell and Sutter Streets, at 8 p.m.

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SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 19

7 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Play Golf in Golden Gate Park at the Golden Gate Golf Course, 47th Ave. and Fulton St., nine holes, all par three, call 751-8987 for information.

10 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- Horseshoe Pitching in the Park, courts located off Conservatory Drive, Bring your own horseshoes, free.

10 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- Enjoy Bowling on the Green, a 13th Century sport, in Golden Gate Park, Bowling Green Drive between Kennedy and King Drives, call 681-1580 for reservations, fee.

1 p.m. -- Golden Gate Park Band Concert, free, conducted by Robert Hansen, at the fountain in the Band Concourse Area, Golden Gate Park.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 20

10:30 a.m. -- Music for Senior Citizens, Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton St., call 666-7015 for information.

1:30 - 4 p.m. -- Recreational Swimming at Coffman Pool, Visitacion and Hahn St.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 21

9 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Improve your Equestrian Skills at the Golden Gate Park Riding Stable, Kennedy Dr. & 36th Ave. in Golden Gate Park, call 668-7360 for information.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Sail your model yachts on Spreckles Lake, both wind and motor powered, opposite 36th Ave. in Golden Gate Park, free.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 22

11 a.m. - Noon -- Storytelling Workshop, learn to thrill your listeners with renowned storyteller Alice Clemens, Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Building, 50 Scott Street, free.

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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 23

8:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. -- Visit the Japanese Tea Garden, an exquisite rural style tea garden landscape, Music Concourse Area in Golden Gate Park, fee.

7 - 8 p.m. -- Belly Dancing for Beginners, Sunset Recreation Center, 28th Avenue and Lawton St., $40 - 10 weeks; $5 - 1 class, call 753-7098 for information.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 24

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- You'll be Right on Target at the Archery Range in Golden Gate Park, near 47th Avenue and Fulton St. Bring your own bow, arrows and targets, haybales are provided, free.

10:30 - 11:15 a.m. -- Easy Exercise Class for Seniors, Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street in Golden Gate Park, call 666-7015 for information.

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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 25

10 - 10:50 a.m. -- Stretching Exercise Class for Seniors, Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton St., near 37th Avenue, Golden Gate Park, call 666-7015 for information.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Visit the Doelger Primate Discovery Center at the San Francisco Zoo, one of the most innovative exhibits ever built, the Center displays 16 species of rare and endangered monkeys and prosimians in a naturalistic setting, located at Sloat Blvd. at the Pacific Ocean, call 661-2023 for information, fee.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Let the Scientist within you "Come Out and Play" at the Exploratorium Museum of Science, Art and Human Perception, 3601 Lyon Street, call 563-7337 for information, fee.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Randall Museum features a Live Animal Room with Petting Coral, a Working Seismograph and other exhibits, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights.

2 p.m. -- "A Cosmic Show", Explore our place in space and time at the Planetarium, California Academy of Sciences, Golden Gate Park, call 750-7141 for information, fee.

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SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 26

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Cycling in the Park, a scenic 7 1/2 mile paved trail extends from the tip of the Panhandle through Golden Gate Park, adjacent to Sunset Blvd. to Lake Merced. JFK Drive is closed to auto traffic from Kezar Drive to Transverse Drive on Sundays.

1 p.m. -- Golden Gate Park Band Concert, conducted by Robert Hansen, at the fountain in the Band Concourse Area, Golden Gate Park, free.

2 - 4 p.m. -- Ray Bell and his Band plays Live Music at the Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street, near 37th Avenue, $2 donation.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 27

6:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. -- Lake Merced offers Boating and Fishing for all, beginners are welcome, located at #1 Harding Road, call 753-1101 for information.

6 - 10 p.m. -- Drop in volleyball at Kezar Pavilion, Stanyan and Waller Streets.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 28

10:30 - 11:30 a.m. -- Senior Exercise class, Rosa Parks Senior Center, 1111 Buchanan Street, call 292-2000 for information.

7 - 10 p.m. -- Acting Workshop for Adults, techniques for auditions, characterizations, performance, vocal warm ups, monologues, theater games and improvisation, Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Building, 50 Scott Street, call 554-9523 for information, free.

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WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 29

10 - 11:30 a.m. -- Folk Dancing for Ladies, 18+ years, learn basic steps, rhythms and dance of other countries, Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Building, 50 Scott St., call 554-9523 for information.

11 a.m. - Noon -- Storytelling Workshop, learn to thrill your listeners with renowned storyteller Alice Clemens, Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Building, 50 Scott Street, free.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 30

9 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Tennis Courts are available between JFK and Bowling Green Drives in Golden Gate Park, call 753-7001 for information.

4 - 5:30 p.m. -- Beginning Ballet for Children and Pre-Teens, basic positions of feet, arms, head, practice of Body Direction and Turns, Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Bldg., 50 Scott St, free.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 1

6 - 8 a.m. -- Lap Swimming at North Beach Pool, Lombard and Mason Streets, fee.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Jog your way around the Polo Field, a 3/4 mile track located on Middle Drive, Golden Gate Park.

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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 2

10 a.m. -- Workshop and Class Registration Lottery at Randall Museum, classes include Rhythm, Ritual and Rhyme; Dye Magic and Batik; Creating Holiday Gifts, Dollhouse Workshop; Lapidary and Jewelry Workshop and Ceramics Workshop, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, call 554-9600 for information, fees vary.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Step from Daylight into Moonlight for a look at San Francisco Zoo's Nocturnal Exhibit, a Midnight World of Rare Primates, Sloat Blvd. at the Pacific Ocean, call 661-2023 for information, fee.

11 a.m. - 2 p.m. -- Make your Own Holiday Cards at Randall Museum, for 6+ years of age, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, fee $1.

11 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. -- Theater Games for Children, ages 7-12 years, Group Dramatization Achieved through Creative Role Playing, Improvisation and Pantomime, Alice Chalmers Playground, 670 Brunswick, call 337-4711 for information.

1 - 2 p.m. -- Take a Geology Walk on Museum Hill, Randall Museum, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights.

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SUNDAY, DECEMBER 3

11 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Sharon Art Studio Christmas Sale, Unique Handmade Items, Sharon Building near Children's Playground, Bowling Green Drive between Kennedy and King Drives, Golden Gate Park.

1 p.m. -- Golden Gate Park Band Concert, conducted by Robert Hansen, at the Fountain in the Band Concourse Area, Golden Gate Park, free.

2 - 4 p.m. -- Ray Bell and his Band play Live Music at the Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street, near 37th Avenue, $2 donation.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 4

1 - 3 p.m. -- Round Dance Lessons for Seniors, Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton, near 37th Avenue, in Golden Gate Park, 50¢ fee, call 666-7015 for information.

7 - 8:30 p.m. -- 4th Annual KRON-TV Holiday Sing-Along, benefiting the Salvation Army, Union Square, Powell and Geary Streets, free.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 5

4 - 5 p.m. -- Introduction to Ballet for 6-8 year olds, noncompetitive, emphasis on body awareness and expressiveness, Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Building, 50 Scott Street, call 554-9523 for information.

6:30 - 9:30 p.m. -- Jolly Volley Follies, Drop-in, Co-ed Volleyball at the Upper Noe Valley Recreation Center, Day and Sanchez Street, free.

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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6

10:30 a.m. - Noon -- Storytelling Workshop, learn to thrill your listeners with renowned storyteller Alice Clemens, Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Building, 50 Scott Street, free.

6:30 - 7:30 p.m. -- Lap Swimming at Hamilton Pool, Geary Blvd. and Steiner Street, fee.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7

6 - 7:30 p.m. -- Intermediate Jazz Class for Adults, not for beginners, Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Building, 50 Scott St., call 554-9523 for information, free.

7:30 - 9 p.m. -- "Growing Fragrant Plants", Lecture with Rayford Reddell and Robert Galyean, sponsored by the Strybing Arboretum Society, San Francisco County Fair Building, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way, $10 fee.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8

10 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- Cards, Dominoes, and Pool for Seniors, Rosa Parks Senior Center, 1111 Buchanan Street, call 292-2000 for information.

6 - 7 p.m. -- Body Pulse Aerobics for Adults, a total Aerobic Exercise Program Choreographed to Music, 10 classes - $40, single class - $5.50, Upper Noe Valley Recreation Center, Day and Sanchez Streets, call 695-5011 for information.

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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 9

10 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- Holiday Carnival at Randall Museum, food, unusual gifts, wreath making workshop, caroling and more, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights.

10 a.m. - 1 p.m. -- Holiday Greens Sale at Strybing Arboretum, Fresh Greens, Wreaths and Holiday Decorations sold, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park.

10:15 a.m. - Noon -- "Tree Totems", a Holiday Program with the Strybing Arboretum Society, Storyteller Diane Ferlatte's Program includes Cross Cultural Tree Stories, Finding your own Tree Totem, Tree Games and Rituals, Helen Crocker Russell Library, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park, call 661-1316 for information.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Visit the Phoebe Hearst Discovery Hall at the San Francisco Zoo, you can explore, discover and play with 23 interactive exhibits describing the fascinating world of primates, Sloat Blvd. at the Pacific Ocean, call 661-2023 for information, fee.

1:30 p.m. -- Strybing Arboretum Society Docents lead a Theme Walk focusing on Conifers, meet at the Strybing Store, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park.

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SUNDAY, DECEMBER 10

9 a.m. -- Christmas Classic 5K Race, benefitting Heart of America, Polo Field, Golden Gate Park, to register, call 583-6268.

11 a.m. - 3 p.m. -- Knitting Class for Seniors, Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton St., near 37th Ave. in Golden Gate Park, 50¢ fee, call 666-7015 for information.

1 p.m. -- Golden Gate Park Band Concert, conducted by Robert Hansen, at the Fountain in the Band Concourse Area, Golden Gate Park, free.

2 - 4 p.m. -- Ray Bell and his Band play Live Music at the Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street, near 37th Avenue, $2 donation.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 11

9 a.m. - 3 p.m. -- Sewing Class for Seniors, Rosa Parks Senior Center, 1111 Buchanan St., Call 292-2000 for information.

6 a.m. -- Come see the Lighted Floral Holiday Plaque in front of the conservatory of Flowers, Eastern end of Kennedy Drive, Golden Gate Park.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 12

10 a.m. - Noon -- Tennis Lessons for Beginning Adults, J. P. Murphy Playground, 1960 - 9th Ave., donation - 1 unopened can of three tennis balls.

6:15 - 7 p.m. -- Body Pulse Aerobics, a total exercise program choreographed to Music, 10 classes - $40; 1 class - $5.50, Mission Recreation Center, 2450 Harrison St.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 13

10:30 a.m. - Noon -- Storytelling Workshop, learn to thrill your listeners with renowned storyteller Alice Clemens, Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Building, 50 Scott Street, free.

6 p.m. -- Don't miss the annual Lighting of San Francisco's Official Christmas Tree, in front of McLaren Lodge, Fell and Stanyan Streets in Golden Gate Park, Festivities include the Young People's Musical Theater Company, the Golden Gate Park Band, Santa Claus and Mayor Agnos lighting the Tree.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14

9 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- View the Stunning Exhibit of Cyclamen and Poinsettias at the Conservatory of Flowers, Kennedy Drive in Golden Gate Park, $1.50 general admission.

3:30 - 5 p.m. -- Drama Workshop for Children, ages 7-12 years, includes Skits, Monologues, etc., Eureka Valley Recreation Center, 18th and Collingwood Streets, call 554-9528 for information.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 15

6 a.m. - 8 a.m. -- Freshen up your day with an Early Morning Lap Swim at North Beach Pool, Lombard and Mason Streets, fee.

6 - 7 p.m. -- Rhythm and Motion Aerobic Dance Exercise Workout for Adults, choreographed to Music, Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Building, 50 Scott Street, 8 classes $32; single class $5.50.

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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 16

2 p.m. -- Drama and Dance Revue at Randall Museum, students from the Drama and Dance classes perform, Santa Claus will be on hand and light refreshments will be offered, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, free.

2 - 4 p.m. -- Children's Holiday Celebration at Children's Playground, 3 - 5 year olds can design their own holiday crafts, make a Santa Button and take a free ride on the Carrousel, Bowling Green Drive between Kennedy and King Drives, Golden Gate Park, free.

8 p.m. -- Classical Guitar and Rennaissance Lute Concert at the Randall Museum, with Jamey Bellizzi performing selections from the works of Ballard, Puccini, Scarlotti and his own original compositions, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way on Corona Heights, Adults $4; children $2.

8 p.m. -- San Francisco City Chorus' Christmas Concert, including Pinkham's Christmas Contata, Nelson's Christmas Story, Handel's Messiah and Bach's Contata #65, Organist Wyatt Insko, Directed by Fred Goff, located at Historic St. Mark's Lutheran Church, 1111 O'Farrell Street, donation $6-$8.

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SUNDAY, DECEMBER 17

1 p.m. -- Golden Gate Park Band Christmas Concert, conducted by Robert Hansen, including selections from the Messiah and Community Sing-along, Fountain in the Band Course, Golden Gate Park, free.

2 p.m. -- San Francisco Recreation Symphony performs the works of Mozart, Beethoven and Mendelssohn, featuring violin soloist Lili Byers and viola soloist Keith Herritt, San Francisco County Fair Building, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park, free.

3 p.m. -- San Francisco City Chorus' Christmas Concert, including Pinkham's Christmas Contata, Nelson's Christmas Story, Handel's Messiah and Bach's Contata #65, Organist Wyatt Insko, Directed by Fred Goff, located at Historic St. Mark's Lutheran Church, 1111 O'Farrell Street, donation $6-$8.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 18

6 - 8 a.m. -- Start off your week with an invigorating early morning lap swim at Garfield Pool, 26th and Harrison Streets, fee.

6 a.m. -- Come see the Lighted Floral Holiday Plaque in front of the Conservatory of Flowers, Eastern end of Kennedy Drive, Golden Gate Park.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 19

11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. -- The Golden Bough Strings perform at Union Square, Geary and Powell Streets, free.

6:30 - 9:30 p.m. -- Jolly Volley Follies, drop-in, co-ed volleyball at the Upper Noe Valley Recreation Center, Day and Sanchez Streets, free.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 20

10 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- "Botanical Beauty" Watercolor exhibit by Jacqueline Broughton, Helen Crocker Russell Library, 9th Avenue and Lincoln Way, Golden Gate Park.

10 a.m. -- Singing Class for Senior Citizens, Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street, near 37th Avenue, in Golden Gate Park, call 666-7015 for information.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 21

9 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- View the Stunning Exhibit of Cyclamen and Poinsettias at the Conservatory of Flowers, Kennedy Drive in Golden Gate Park, $1.50 general admission.

3 - 4:30 p.m. -- Ballet-Jazz class for children, ages 6-12 years, Basic Steps and Routines in Tap and Jazz, Alice Chalmers Playground, 670 Brunswick Street, call 554-9523 for information.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 22

10 a.m. - Noon -- Tennis Lessons for Beginning Adults, Sunset Recreation Center, 28th Ave. and Lawton St., donation - 1 unopened can of three tennis balls.

11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. -- Dickens Carolers perform at Union Square, Powell and Geary Streets, free.

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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 23

5:30 a.m. - 6:30 p.m. -- Boating and Fishing at Lake Merced, beginners welcome, Skyline Blvd. at Great Highway, call 753-1101 for information, fee.

6 a.m. -- Come see the Lighted Floral Holiday Plaque in front of the Conservatory of Flowers, Eastern end of Kennedy Drive, Golden Gate Park.

7 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Play Golf at the Golden Gate Golf Course, nine holes, all par three, 47th Avenue and Fulton Street in Golden Gate Park, call 751-8987 for information, fee.

9:30 a.m. -- Tennis Class for Children, J. P. Murphy Playground, 1960 Ninth Avenue, free.

10 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- "Bowling on the Green", a 13th Century English sport is available in Golden Gate Park, on Bowling Green Drive between Kennedy and King Drives, call 681-1580 for reservations, free.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Randall Museum features a live animal room with a petting corral, a working seismograph and other exhibits, 199 Museum Way, off Roosevelt Way, on Corona Heights.

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SUNDAY, DECEMBER 24

9 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- View the Stunning Exhibit of Cyclamen and Poinsettias at the Conservatory of Flowers, Kennedy Drive in Golden Gate Park, $1.50 general admission.

10 a.m. - 4 p.m. -- Enjoy a magical journey on Golden Gate Park's Carrousel located in Children's Playground, southeast corner of the Park, across from Kezar, fee.

2 p.m. -- Ray Bell and his Band play old favorites at the Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street, near 37th Avenue, Golden Gate Park, donation $2.

4 - 6 p.m. -- Celebrate Chanukah at Union Square, featuring live music and refreshments for sale, Geary and Powell Streets, call 956-8644 for information.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 25

9 a.m. - 6 p.m. -- Enjoy the serenity of a rural style Japanese Tea Garden, Band Course Area of Golden Gate Park, free today.

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Come wish the animals at the Zoo a Merry Christmas, San Francisco Zoo, Sloat Blvd. at Pacific Ocean, fee.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 26

6:30 - 9:30 p.m. -- Jolly Volley Follies, drop-in, co-ed volleyball at the Upper Noe Valley Recreation Center, Day and Sanchez Streets, free.

7 - 10 p.m. -- It's never too late to learn the skill of Acting! Acting Workshop for Adults, Harvey Milk Recreational Arts Building, 50 Scott Street, call 554-9523 for information.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 27

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. -- Sail your Model Yachts on Spreckels Lake, both wind and motor powered models are welcome, opposite 36th Avenue in Golden Gate Park, free.

6:15 - 7:15 p.m. -- Dancerobix for Adults, a total aerobic exercise program, choreographed to music for all ages, Sunset Recreation Center, 28th Avenue and Lawton Street, 10 classes $35, single class $5.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 28

9 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. -- Visit Coit Tower at Lombard and Kearny Streets, enjoy murals created in the 1930's depicting contemporary life, and a panoramic view of San Francisco, Free.

2 - 3 p.m. -- Pee Wee Sports for 4 - 6 year olds, Saint Mary's Recreation Center, Murray Avenue and Justin Drive, call 695-5000 for information.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 29

1 - 3 p.m. -- Bingo for Seniors, Golden Gate Park Senior Center, 6101 Fulton Street, near 37th Avenue, call 666-7015 for information.

7:45 - 9:30 p.m. -- Enjoy a Recreational Swim at Garfield Pool, 26th and Harrison Streets, fee.

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